

# Hughes Claims Senator Urged Airlines Merger

## Attlee Sees More Hardships In Store for British People

(See Cartoon "Luna's End" on Page Six)

LONDON, Aug. 6 (AP)—Prime Minister Attlee said today that Britain's borrowed dollars were running out at the rate of \$3,240,000 a year and laid down a program of military retrenchment, spartan dieting, "limited" labor controls and "some sacrifice" of personal liberty as the price this country must pay to survive.

The Labor prime minister spoke in sombre tones to a packed house of commons while outside the houses of parliament and No. 10 Downing street unsmiling crowds, like those which gathered in the crisis days before the war, waited to hear what new sacrifices would be demanded in Britain's economic plight.

Most of the little man's worst fears were fulfilled.

Attlee told him the nation was

engaged in a "second battle of Britain" which "cannot be won by a few."

He said there would be less food, less gasoline, less timber for new houses, less goods in the stores, perhaps fewer Hollywood movies, longer hours of work.

He announced that U. S. Secretary of State George C. Marshall had agreed to high level negotiations on "the whole of the implications" of the fast-disappearing American loan of \$3,750,000,000—which Britain had expected would last until 1950 but which Attlee said will be gone before the end of this year.

In these negotiations Britain will seek in particular the easing of the convertibility provision, which became effective July 15, obliging her to pay dollars to any nation demanding them instead of British pounds.

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## DENIAL MADE BY BREWSTER IN PLANE PROBE

West Coast Millionaire Says Senate Committee Uses Pressure Tactics

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (AP)—Millionaire Howard Hughes and Senator Brewster (R-Me) put under oath today a charge and denial that the senator offered to call off a war plane contract investigation if Hughes would merge Trans World Airline with Pan American Airways.

They gave their squarely contradictory testimony at a tense hearing of a Senate war investigating subcommittee.

Hughes accused the committee of applying "the screws" to him.

Brewster said attempts had been made to "trap" him into preventing a full investigation of Hughes' contracts with the Government.

The senator told of two talks he had with Hughes in which a TWA-Pan American merger was discussed. But he said Hughes raised the matter first, and insisted he never made a proposition to sell the hearings.

In a radio interview later, Hughes called Brewster's denial "pretty weak" and declared that "just about everyone in the aviation industry recognizes that Brewster is lying," in saying that he never had heard of a proposed merger between TWA and Pan American before his talk with Hughes.

"The people in the industry are only too familiar with Brewster's relations with Pan American Airways," Hughes said. "And the people in the industry know that if Brewster was pushing the investigation of my war contract for really legitimate reasons and if Senator Brewster really believed me to be guilty of obtaining war contracts by improper means he would not be romancing me on the side, inviting me to lunch and making appointments over the phone to see me in California."

Hughes controls TWA. Brewster, chairman of the investigating committee, has denied any connection with Pan American.

Under investigation by the subcommittee are \$40,000,000 of wartime plane contracts the

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# 61 Die in Heat Wave; Hopes for Relief Fade

## HUNGARY LOSES PROMISED AID

7 Millions in Credit Canceled; U. S. Blames Coup by Communists

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (AP)—Denouncing the recent Hungarian government upset as a Communist coup, Secretary of State Marshall today closed cancellation of a \$7,000,000 credit promised Hungary.

The State department simultaneously took a poke at another of Russia's Balkan neighbors by renewing an official protest against the Romanian government's widespread arrest of opposition leaders.

From Poland, meanwhile, came an appeal for restoration of the relief funds originally designed for that country in the new \$32,000,000 American program. Marshall struck Poland off the list for aid July 23 after an American mission reported the Poles have enough food in sight to get by and officials considered it unlikely that the action would be reversed. The appeal was delivered to Marshall by Ambassador Josef Winiwetz who told newsmen that "Poland really needs food."

Marshall told a news conference one of the main reasons the United States shut off the credit for Hungary was because numerous government officials in which it has confidence have fled into exile.

The export-import bank decided to cancel the credit, which was to have been used to buy American cotton, five days ago. Marshall

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## Two Dollar Days Here To Be First Since War

Dollar Days come back to Pottstown tomorrow and Saturday for the first time since before the war.

Pottstown merchants were planning all this week to welcome hosts of shoppers flocking into the center of town for bargains that haven't been matched in six years, they said. Many a merchant spent his half holiday yesterday afternoon receiving fresh merchandise for the event. They will complete the task today in order to have everything in readiness for the rush of buyers tomorrow.

Shelves were stocked with fresh merchandise, merchants declared, while many a hard-to-get item has been reduced drastically to come within the dollar limit. Merchants crammed their advertisements in today's Mercury with items that easily will be recognized by readers as money-savers.

Practically every merchant in Pottstown is co-operating in the event, which has the stamp of approval of the mercantile bureau of the Chamber of Commerce.

## THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Considerable cloudiness and rather warm today.

## 87 Mercury 64 Antics

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	64	4 p. m.	87
5 a. m.	65	5 p. m.	86
6 a. m.	66	6 p. m.	85
7 a. m.	67	7 p. m.	84
8 a. m.	68	8 p. m.	83
9 a. m.	69	9 p. m.	82
10 a. m.	70	10 p. m.	81
11 a. m.	71	11 p. m.	80
12 m.	72	12 p. m.	79
1 p. m.	73	1 p. m.	78
2 p. m.	74	2 p. m.	77
3 p. m.	75	3 p. m.	76
4 p. m.	76	4 p. m.	75

## Test of One-Way Traffic Starts Today on Reading Concourse Here

The first step toward ending traffic snarls at the Hanover street grade crossing begins today in a three-day trial that will limit traffic on the Reading concourse to drivers going from High to Hanover street.

The experiment, which will be in effect from 6 a. m. to midnight today, tomorrow and Saturday, is being made jointly by the Pottstown police department and Reading company police.

One-way signs were erected yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police James A. Lauzhead.

Railroad Officer George Streap and a borough patrolman will patrol the concourse and check results. If they are favorable, borough council will be asked to make the change permanent.

Other proposed steps to smooth grade-crossing traffic include installation of single gates at the crossing, and of a flashing signal on Hanover street just north of the concourse. Already approved by borough officials and the transportation director of the Pennsylvania Utilities commission, these steps now need only official approval of the railroad company, which would bear the biggest part of the cost.

## Takeoff of 'Bombshell' Scheduled for Today

CHICAGO, Aug. 6 (AP)—William (Bill) Odom tonight announced that he would take off at 1 p. m. (Pottstown time), tomorrow on his projected solo around-the-world flight.

Odom, who turned back Monday on his first attempt to break the record of the late Wiley Post, announced the takeoff plan following two test flights tonight in his converted F4U bomber, the "Bombshell."

Office Closed Aug. 7, 8, 9  
Geo. F. Shaner, Engr., 117 High St.  
Downy Flake Donuts  
Bechtel's Ice Cream, 261 High  
Now open, Martin Luncheonette, 74 N. Char. Quality sandwiches.  
Open for business, Charles Plaza Barber Shop, 18 S. Evans St.  
Office closed until Aug. 11  
Dr. C. R. Elicker, M. D.



One-way signs will guide traffic on the Reading concourse for three days, starting today. Signs were put up yesterday by Street Foreman Earl Pfeiffer (holding sign) and highway department employee George Bolton. (Staff Photo)

See Food Specials in Hartenstein's Market ad, Page 6. Big Values!  
No office hours until Aug. 18  
Dr. R. H. Merkel, 880 High St.  
Office Closed Until Aug. 11th  
Dr. Charles A. Baylor  
Daily Office Hours, 4:30 to 8:30  
R. C. Kelley, J. P., 166 N. Evans St.  
Selling out "Famous Roses." Cheap  
After 5 p. m., Jefferson & Warren

## Preparing Return to Native England



—Mercury Staff Photo

Anticipating with much pleasure a return trip to her native Bristol, England, Mrs. Arthur Buchert, Pottstown war bride, is shown packing her bags for the trip starting Aug. 16. She will sail aboard the passenger liner, Queen Elizabeth, for a seven months' visit with her family and friends.

## 'Home' Calling War Bride Until Housing Gets Better

"Be it ever so humble, there's no place like home." And "home" for Mrs. Arthur Buchert, Hilldale, means both Pottstown and merry England.

Just a little lonesome for her many friends, and anxious to see what has transpired since she left England more than a year ago, Mrs. Buchert, who hails from bomb-battered Bristol, will sail Aug. 16 aboard the Queen Elizabeth for a seven-months' visit with her family and relatives.

Slightly disappointed with living conditions in Pottstown, the Bucherts hope to find a nicer place to live by the time Mrs. Buchert returns in the Spring with her first child, which she expects sometime in November.

Said Mrs. Buchert when questioned about housing, "It seems that those boys who think the farthest during the war came back the latest, and consequently got what was left. I don't mean to complain because the people I've met here have been very kind, but it seems a shame that veterans and their families haven't a decent place to live."

The young English woman who worked as a secretary to a chemist in Bristol, met her husband Thanksgiving Eve, 1942, at a club not far from her home. He was one of the first outfits to arrive in that part of England, and he was stationed there until D-Day, 1944. They were married in a quiet ceremony in Pro-Cathedral, Bristol, in February of that year.

Mrs. Buchert, who came to America in the second or third shipment of war brides, arrived in New York March 2, 1946 aboard the SS Washington. Her husband arrived home Oct. 26, 1945.

Upon their arrival, they lived for six months with Mr. Buchert's mother in Boyertown, having been unable to find an apartment in Pottstown. They later moved to the Hilldale section.

Mrs. Buchert plans to return to the home she left, Dale Mansions, Bristol, which belongs to her brother since the death of her parents some years ago. Also residing in England are six sisters and two other brothers, one of whom returned from India about a week after she had left for America.

Mrs. Buchert was an air raid warden during the war, and donated blood for six years, and can well remember the privations that her people endured during the endless siege.

"Although Churchill often said (Continued on Page Seven)

## There's Easy Money In Quick News Tips

Are you an alert newspaper reader? Do you readily recognize the headlines that make interesting reading for you and your neighbors?

If your answer is "Yes," you're probably one of the hundreds of Mercury readers who have "phoned news tips" the past few months. If your answer is "No," you've been missing a chance to make a little extra easy cash.

Each week The Mercury gives \$10 in prizes to the news tipsters who are first to "phone reports of accidents, fires and other spot news stories. Tips on human interest and other unusual happenings can win, too.

Just call The Mercury, Telephone 2263!

Quick Radio Repairs. Call 3830 J. Pegely & Son, Co. 38 High St. Waitress and counter girl wanted. Roversford Hotel, 205-07 Main St.

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## CHILD IS STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

Three-Year-Old Boy Waiks Into Path of Car; Slightly Injured

A three-year-old child toddled into the path of a car on Beech street, between Sheridan and Grant streets at 12:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon, but suffered only minor injuries.

The little victim, Ronald Beasley, son of Harry E. Beasley, 722 Beech street, is in Pottstown hospital suffering from lacerations of the right arm and a contusion over the right eye. The child was treated and is being held for observation.

Police reported that the operator of the car, James H. Zellner, 107 High street, was driving west on Beech street. He saw the child walking across the street from the north to the south side and swerved his car to the left in an effort to avoid striking him.

The child was struck by the right rear fender of the car, and Zellner took him to the hospital. Motor Patrolman Thomas A. Lawler investigated.

The child had been playing with other children in front of 741 Beech (Continued on Page Eight)

## Motorist Pays \$10 Fine On Sticker Violation

Charged with operating an automobile with an improper inspection sticker, Daniel Gebhard, of Schwenkville RD 2, was given a hearing last night before Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus, of the Seventh ward. He was ordered to pay a fine of \$10 and \$50 costs. Private Frank E. Knarr, of the Collierville State police, was the prosecutor.

## CLARENCE HIGH, FORMER COUNCIL MEMBER, DIES

Three-Month Illness Fatal To Republican Leader, Doehler Production Manager

Clarence A. (Dick) High, 49, of 1112 Queen street, a former councilman here and a member of numerous local and Reading clubs, died at 6:05 o'clock yesterday evening following a three-month illness.

The husband of Mrs. Shirley A. (Kramer) High, Mr. High had been a patient at the Pottstown hospital from May 9 to June 19. He died at his home, 1112 Queen street.

He was born in Reading and came to Pottstown in 1917. In 1923 he went to work for the Doehler-Jarvis corporation, remaining there for the ensuing 24 years and holding various supervisory positions, his most recent position being that of production manager.

Mr. High served as a Republican member of borough council for two consecutive terms, from 1936-1944. He was chairman of the highway committee and was one of the foremost exponents of the resurfacing of High street, finally done in 1936.

He also was chairman of the police committee from 1938-44, and a member of the Pottstown Civil Service commission from 1941 until his death.

Among his public service positions he numbered a membership in the Pennsylvania Police Civil Service commission, since its formation in 1946.

Mr. High was a member of St. James Lutheran church and of several organizations, including the Pottstown Royal Arch chapter 271; Aerie 826, Fraternal Order of Eagles; Executives and Foremen's club; Pottstown Republican club; the Die Casters' club; the West End Fire company; and the Empire Fire and Ladder Fire company.

In his native Reading the former councilman belonged to the P. and A. M. lodge 62; Reading Consistory, Rajah Temple, and the Mountain Spring Home association.

In addition to his wife, Mr. High is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. High, Reading; three sisters, Mrs. Hunter Strunk, 1112 Queen street, Mrs. Harry Seeds, Easton, and Elsie High, who lives with her parents in Reading; and one brother, William E. High Jr., Syracuse, N. Y.

Funeral services were not complete last night.

## BOOBY TRAPPED!

Bomb Explodes, Frays Nerves of Startled Autoist

AN AERIAL BOMB, believed to be a left-over remnant from the Fourth of July celebration, exploded at 12:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon on the Doehler parking lot. South Washington street, when it was struck by a car, driven by Paul L. Russell, 368 North Charlotte street.

A partially submerged explosive, the second bomb found recently in that section, contained about three-quarters of a pound of high powered explosives and caused alarmed residents to dash from their homes.

Russell was startled, but not injured. The right front tire and tube of his machine were ruined.

Robert Hooper, chief guard at Bethlehem Steel company, investigated the explosion. Bombs were set off on the parking lot preliminary to the firemen's parade on the Fourth.

## Illness Fatal



Clarence A. (Dick) High, above, 49-year-old former borough councilman and member of the Pottstown Civil Service commission, died last night after a three months' illness.

## Citizens Bank Names Prince Vice President

Joseph L. Prince, well-known attorney with offices at 253 High street, yesterday was elected a member of the board of directors and vice president of the Citizens National Bank and Trust company.

He succeeds his father, the late Adolf Prince, who was a member of the board from 1910 and who also was vice president for many years. The action was taken at a meeting of the board in the bank yesterday afternoon.

Attorney Prince resigned Tuesday as a member of the board of directors of the Security Trust company and of the executive committee of the institution. He had been a member of the board since June 19, 1926. His resignation was accepted at yesterday's board meeting.

Prince is 53 and is married. He is a graduate of the Pottstown High school, Class of 1911. He attended the Wharton School of Commerce and Finance, Philadelphia, and the University of Pennsylvania law school.

He was graduated in 1917 from Dickinson College law school and was president of his class. He was admitted to the practice of law in 1917 and is a member of the Montgomery County Bar association.

In June, 1935, he was appointed solicitor to the Montgomery County controller's office, Norristown. For the past eight years he has been solicitor for the recorder of deeds in this county. He also is solicitor of (Continued on Page Eight)

## Temperature Nicks 87, Highest of Week

While parched lawns bewailed the absence of St. Swinain's water wagon, yesterday's mercury did a song and dance which struck a peak of 87, the highest since a torrid 92 last week.

The absence of rain for the past several days has dried grass and weeds, giving an unhealthy tan.

Bishop Swinain's record for precipitation is now his grand entrance July 15 has "flopped miserably," with rain on nine days out of 23. It was supposed to have rained for 40. Remember?

"Rasier warm" is the forecast for today. It is to be considerably cloudy in the southeast and generally fair in the rest and north portions today and tomorrow.

## APPEAL DRAFTED ON WIDENING LAYFIELD ROAD

Building of Shoulders Of 3 Feet on Each Side Favored by Safety Group

The Montgomery Safety council, meeting in Norristown yesterday afternoon, decided to recommend to D. C. Stackpole, district engineer of the State highway department, that Layfield pike between Strawn and Parkersmen Heights be widened by the construction of macadam shoulders, three feet on each side.

The request will be made through the three Montgomery county commissioners, Raymond K. Mensch, Foster C. Hillegass and Fred C. Peters, whose co-operation previously had been pledged.

If the construction is carried out, the highway would be widened from its present 16 feet to a safer 22 feet.

The latest fatality on the narrow stretch was July 21, when a 21-year-old Obelisk girl was killed in a collision. At that time it was brought out that action to widen the curving highway had been sought for ten years, but improvement was still in the indefinite future.

In addition to taking action on the Layfield pike situation, the 30 members of the Council heard reports of action taken in other parts of the county to alleviate traffic conditions.

Since July's meeting, warning signs have been placed at Schrock's farm, at the intersection of Valley Forge road and Egypt road, and at other dangerous crossings.

The council members voted to recommend to the county commissioners that "stop signs be painted on the highway at Limekiln pike and Easton road, Glenside, where a mounted sign often is disregarded."

The crossings at York road and Horace avenue, and York road and Woodland avenue, both in Abington, were slated for traffic lights, a request aimed at the Highway department.

Russell Mels, Halffield, secretary of the group, read a coroner's report, showing that traffic fatalities in the county had increased from 35 in the first six months of 1946 to 41 in the first six months of this (Continued on Page Twelve)

## Primary Candidates To Speak at Rally Of County GOP Here

Republican candidates heading the organization's county slate will appear Tuesday, Aug. 26, in Moose hall, 320 High street, at a rally sponsored by the Montgomery county campaign committee. Chairman Leonard H. Wood, Collierville, said last night.

Purposes of the meeting, Wood asserted, are to stir enthusiasm for the Sept. 9 voting and to give Republican committeemen and committeewomen a chance to hear and talk with their candidates.

The two incumbent president judges of the county, Harold G. Knight, Court of Common Pleas, and J. Burnett Holland, Orphans court, will appear. Wood said District attorney candidate E. Arnold Forrest also is scheduled to speak.

Speakers from Pottstown will include Earl B. Bechtel, 774 Queen street, treasurer of the Republican county committee and of the group sponsoring the meeting, and William J. Bowen, 1045 Queen street, party leader in the county.

The August 26 rally will be one of four arranged by Wood's group, and will be climaxed by a county-wide meeting Sept. 4 at Norristown city hall.

## Chile U. N. Delegate Killed in Car Crash

RICHMOND, Ky., Aug. 6 (AP)—Diego Echeburque, 47, senator and press delegate to the United Nations from Chile, and a woman riding with him were killed last night when their automobile collided with a farm truck near Richmond.

A daughter of the woman suffered injuries which hospital authorities said were not believed to be serious.

## ON THE MAIN DRAG

ELEANOR JOHNSON —wearing a pair of sun glasses.  
JAMES TORO —receiving congratulations upon being a father.  
ROSIE BOUGHTER —tired after a long bicycle ride.  
ROY KULP —having an enjoyable time during vacation.  
BETTY BAILY —waving greetings to a friend.  
BOB ENDY —displaying a new watch.  
CAL HARP —telling of his experiences as baseball manager.  
JOE FREDERICK —talking about "Peg of My Heart."  
BEN STEELE —checking a borough map.  
GEORGE KOVACH JR. —eating a second helping of peach pie.









## OBITUARIES

Following an illness of several weeks, **MRS. DORA M. (ELLIS) GREEN JOHNSON**, 59, wife of Rufus Johnson, 572 WALNUT STREET, died yesterday morning at 5:40 o'clock in Pottstown hospital.

Born in Reading, she was the daughter of the late Samuel and Louisa (Wilkins) Ellis. She was a member of St. Aloysius Catholic church and the Mary Alice Temple, IOPE of E. Reading.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a brother, Harry Dudge, of Elizabeth, N. J.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from a funeral home at 466 North Franklin street. A requiem high mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock in St. Aloysius Catholic church with interment in St. Aloysius cemetery.

Funeral services for **KATHRYN E. (EMERY) LORD**, wife of the late Maurice E. Lord, 455 KING STREET, were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street.

The Rev. Howard A. Kosman officiated. Interment was made in Mount Zion cemetery.

Honorary bearers were Stanley Earl, and John Emery, Fred Erb, and employees of Bechtel's luncheonette, where Mrs. Lord was manager. The employees also formed a guard of honor.

Active bearers were Harry H. Emery, J. P. Bechtel, Thomas A. McCashin 3d, J. J. McCashin, R. C. Mallison and J. H. Giles.

Funeral services for **TRUMAN K. HAINES, NANTMEAL**, were conducted in Nantmeal Methodist church yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. Robert Nelson. Interment was made in St. Andrew's cemetery. Bearers were Elmer Guthrie, Charles Peoples, Maurice Alexander, Clair McAfee, George Mohr Jr., and Paul Mohr.

Frazier Hunt, newspaperman and correspondent, will speak on "Russia As I See It" at the meeting of the Rotary club in the Elks' home at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

Hunt was the only newspaperman in Russia for six months following the 1917 revolution, and in the past 30 years, he has made six extended trips to that country.

## 25 Persons Hurt As Passenger Train Rams Into Freight

**LITCHFIELD, Ill., Aug. 6 (AP)—**At least 25 persons were injured today when the Illinois Central railroad's "Green Diamond" passenger train rammed a Burlington railroad freight train at the crossing of the two lines near here.

None of the injured was in serious condition, Dr. G. A. Siller of Litchfield reported after examining them at St. Francis hospital. Thirteen persons remained in the hospital with cuts and bruises.

Five coaches of the Green Diamond were overturned and some of them were damaged badly. Rescuers kicked out windows to remove the injured. The Diesel locomotive was derailed but did not overturn. Six cars of the freight train upset, scattering coal through the wreckage. Telephone poles were sheared off.

The Illinois Central and Wabash railroad tracks run parallel at the scene, which was at Winston Tower, two miles south of here. The Burlington tracks cut across the other two lines diagonally.

The Burlington's general offices at Chicago said a preliminary investigation showed that the Green Dia-

## Sioux Indians Dance To Assure World Peace

**PINE RIDGE, S. D., Aug. 6 (AP)—**The Ogala Sioux, who danced their ancient sun dance during the past war to bring victory to American forces, performed the colorful rite again today to secure the peace.

The dance continued without intermission for 24 hours. None of the Indians was permitted to eat or drink while it went on.

On the pole around which the Indians danced was a painting on rawhide of a buffalo, the friend of the Sioux. On the reverse side, according to custom, should have been a likeness of their enemy. A picture of Hitler or Tojo occupied the position during the war. This year the enemy side was blank. The Sioux council last night voted down a motion to use Joseph Stalin's picture.

mond ran through a signal and derailed, hitting the freight train about four cars behind the locomotive. The Green Diamond was carrying 150 passengers.

## ABC Delegates Give Report on Convention

**Marshall Kauffman, Walter J. McCuroy and William R. Thompson**, who represented the Pottstown American Business club at the organization's convention in Dayton, Ohio, reported on their trip to 25 members of the club at last night's meeting in the Elks' home.

They told ABC members of several slight changes in the constitution of the organization as well as of the annual reports of the national body.

In addition to last night's business session, the board of governors and the Boy Scout committee also met.

ABC has planned three outdoor meetings for the remainder of this month. On AUG. 13, a business meeting will be held at Hartenstein's Grove; the Seventh district gathering will be held at Meadowbrook Country club, Reading, on the 20th, while a Scout picnic, for the benefit of Troop 10, will be held on the 27th at a spot still to be chosen.

## VA Picks New Manager At Coatesville Hospital

**PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6 (AP)—**The new manager of the Veterans administration hospital at Coatesville is Dr. Hugo Mella, veteran of both world wars and an employee of the association since 1926.

Dr. Mella, who practiced in Boston and Denver before joining VA, succeeds Dr. Clarence R. Miller. Dr. Miller was transferred to his home state of Texas.

## State Suspends Curbs On Sale of Scotch

**HARRISBURG, Aug. 6 (AP)—**All restrictions on the sale of Scotch whisky, rationed since November,

1943, were lifted today at State liquor stores.

The State liquor control board said a survey of the amount of Scotch on hand, enroute to State store systems, and on order, indicates that demand can be met.

### \$ DOLLAR DAYS

**Specials Tomorrow and Saturday**

Growing Girls' Low Heel BROWN PUMPS and LOAFERS—Sizes 3 1/2 to 9—**Were \$5.95 . . . . . NOW \$3.95**

One Special Lot of WOMEN'S DRESS SHOES. Not All Sizes. Values up to \$6.95

**\$1    \$2.95    \$3.95**

Women's All White and Brown and White DRESS SHOES At Reduced Prices

## ROTH'S SHOE STORE

322 HIGH ST. (Moose Building)

<b>Formerly to 1.94</b> <b>All-Stainless Steel Saucepans</b> 1 Qt. . . . . <b>\$1</b> 2 Qt. . . . . 3 Qt. . . . . each <small>Get in on the scramble for this bargain . . . these pans last a lifetime and cook tastily.</small> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Reg. 5.94, 6.94, 7.94</b> <b>Stainless Steel Tea Kettles</b> 4 Qt. . . . . <b>\$3</b> 5 Qt. . . . . 6 Qt. . . . . each <small>Equipped with cool plastic handles that won't burn off. Look what you save!</small> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Aluminum Sale!</b> • 6-Cup Muffin Pans • Galvanized Buckets • 3-Qt. Sauce Pans • 8 1/2" Fudge Pans • 10 1/2" Pot Lids • 1-Qt. Sauce Pans <b>2 for \$1</b> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Regular 1.94</b> <b>Large Print Table Cloths</b> <b>1.00</b> <small>Sizes 52x68 and 60x78" cheery, colorful appetite-whetting designs on durable cotton cloth.</small> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Cannon 39c</b> <b>Multi-Stripe Dish Towels</b> <b>3 for \$1</b> <small>Highly absorbent cotton dish wipers in gay stripes; will not lint. 17x32 inches.</small> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Regular 44c</b> <b>Bleached and Unbleached MUSLIN</b> <b>3 yards \$1</b> <small>Bleached is 36 inches wide, the other is 39 inches. Heavy, durable grade for many uses.</small> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Regular 1.79</b> <b>Feather Bed PILLOWS</b> <b>1.00</b> <small>Generously filled with sterilized chicken feathers, covered with 8-ounce pieced blue and white striped ticking.</small> <i>Downstairs</i>	<b>Regular to 5.94</b> <b>Pinch Pleated DRAPES</b> <b>3.00</b> pair <small>Colorful homespun, printed cranies and dobby weave case-ment cloth; full width.</small> <i>Downstairs</i>
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OPEN FRIDAY NIGHTS 'TIL 9 . . . SATURDAYS 'TIL 6

# The NEW YORK Store

**NO DOLLAR SPECIALS SOLD TODAY!**  
**Sale Starts 9:30 Tomorrow!**  
**Follow the Trail of Dollar Tickets!**

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**NOT ALL SIZES IN EVERY STYLE . . . BUT MANY STYLES INCLUDED!**

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You Save 4.88

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**Toiletries**  
**2 for 1.00**

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Broken sizes from 8 to 18 . . . Just 34 in the lot at this big saving.

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Regular price 94c each . . . You save 88c. Sizes 4 and 12 only.

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Wide full sweep, many with zipper fronts. Also some knit rayon jersey and rayon crepes. Floral prints on maize, blue and red grounds. Sizes 12 to 20 and a few sizes to 48.

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Also sunsuits. Sheers and cottons in sizes 3 to 12. Odd lots.

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**1.00**

Cotton gabardine, mostly white. Sizes 3 to 14. Regular price 1.98 . . . You save 98c.

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**Toddler's 1.95 PINAFORES**  
**1.00**

Cottons and sheers in prints and solid colors. Sizes 1 to 3. You save 95c.

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Get son a supply to finish out the Summer (39c each). Sizes 2 and 4 only.  
**3 FOR \$1**

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Sizes 2 and 3 only. Values to 1.00 each. Washable cotton.

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**3 pair 1.00**

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A selection of fast color prints and stripes. Sizes 2 to 6.

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**1.00**

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Regular 1.94 value. Broken sizes from 6 to 12. Assorted colors.  
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THURSDAY, AUGUST 7, 1947

*Glory is safe when it is deserted; it is not so with popularity; one lasts like a mosaic; the other is effaced like a crayon drawing.—Boufflers.*

## Bicycle Licenses

MEMBERS of Pottstown's Optimist club, sponsors of a local bicycle ordinance, announced the other night that the law soon would be ready for presentation to borough council. The ordinance would provide that every borough bicycle be licensed, and that a "juvenile court" be set up.

This plan is used successfully in other cities. It has two important values.

1. The licensing of bicycles has a tendency to make the owners of the wheels more responsible, knowing that any damage to persons or property can be placed on the owner.
2. It would deter the stealing of bicycles, and make it easier to trace stolen wheels.

Contrary to some reports, there is no tendency on the part of borough officials to pass a revenue-producing law by drawing up the bicycle-license law. The nominal fee of 25 or 50 cents hardly will pay the cost of registering the wheels.

Concord, N. H., and Jamestown, N. Y., are two cities which place an annual license fee on bicycles. The fee is 50 cents, and with it goes a miniature license plate, similar to automobile plates. While the revenue to the municipality is not great, it about covers the cost of registering each bicycle.

Youthful bicycle owners are pleased with the idea because it gives them a grown-up feeling, a feeling of importance to know that their "vehicles" are recognized just like their dad's automobiles.

Down in Chester County, Chief J. Raymond Baker, of the Ridley Park Police, has a county-wide bicycle registering system that has worked successfully, we are told. It is handled at no charge, and consequently is on a voluntary basis.

The adoption of an annual, paid license fee ordinance would be very helpful to the police of all communities, who are called on to find lost and stolen wheels.

## Truman Gives Press Little

PROBABLY the most accurate barometer of the rise and decline of Washington bureaucracy is the press conference—its character, frequency and duration.

Some unsung public official in the distant past thought up the idea of holding conferences to make announcements on topics of general public interest and to submit to questioning on details. Over the years it developed in Washington as an accepted, but spasmodic, practice.

Presidents, cabinet members and important bureau heads with big news to divulge would call a press conference, mainly to save time for themselves and reporters (who would drop in by one if they didn't come as a group).

With the advent of Roosevelt and the New Deal, the press conference outgrew simple convenience and became an institution. FDR set up a schedule of two conferences weekly and played them as a maestro plays an organ.

But times have changed. White House press conferences under Mr. Truman do little more than honor the formality. When he entered the White House, he cut them to one a week, and has fallen far short of that. By last week, his longest conference in 1947 had lasted 19 minutes. They are limited to factual information, and very little of that.

## Snake Stories

WHAT'S BECOME of the snake stories we used to read about in the newspapers during the Summer? Are there fewer snakes or are the exciting experiences not reported?

In the old days we regaled our readers with a good snake story or two every week from June through August. Up to date this year none have been reported.

Yesterday's yarns were real thrillers. They told of battles with copperheads and rattlers in language so vivid you could almost see the reptiles coiling and striking at their human enemies. And the narrow escapes of men, women and children told nothing in the telling when correspondents phoned the details to their newspapers.

People like to read snake stories, however much they dislike to engage in an encounter with even a house snake. Perhaps the reason is that many a man particularly if he hails from a small town or the country, can recall an encounter of his own that will top any of the present day tales.

## Grampaw Oakley

**PUNKIN CORNERS,**  
Editor, The Mercury,  
Dear Sir: Brother:

Wal, I see by The Mercury where automobile pilots have gone up again. Remember the old-fashioned fellow who bought a car because he couldn't afford the \$3000 for a yacht?

An item says cartwheel hats are coming back in fashion. And no one is doing anything about enlarging our elevators.

And say: The Detroit Tigers have adopted an octet as a mascot. The octet is a sort of fourth cousin to a tiger, but is very small—or about the size of the Detroit's pennant chances. Hopin' you air the same.

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

## Another Revenue Gag: Praise for Donnon

Let me not say that more than 250 words long, of current topics and great not involve publication on request. Poetry, and communications advocating the election of political candidates are not acceptable.

By MERCURY READERS

## No Faith in Licenses

To the Editor: When I read in The Mercury about the licensing of bicycles, my blood boiled. First the borough wanted parking meters, then a tax on movies. Now, on top of all, they want to license bicycles, using the phony excuse that it will cut down accidents and insure against theft. What a laugh!

Automobiles have licenses, and there are accidents as well as thefts. We all know that most accidents are caused by automobiles. So why not face facts and clamp down on traffic violators such as speeders and double-parkers? Take the teen-ager from behind the wheel, even though some may be good drivers.

Bicycle accidents are few, but nearly every morning we read of an automobile accident and usually some youth under 21 is to blame.

If sticking a license on things would prevent accidents, we would have to license baby carriages and even pedestrians, as a person could get hurt just by walking on the sidewalk.

Why don't the borough officials be honest with themselves and admit that the extra revenue is the real reason for the ordinance?

Pottstown  
**MOTHER OF TWO BICYCLE RIDERS**

## A Word of Praise

To the Editor: We would like the people of Pottstown to know how much we appreciate everything that is being done for the Negro children by the Pottstown Recreation commission under the leadership of Francis Donnon. Donnon has been completely fair and has shown no partiality between white or Negro children in any of his programs.

The Recreation commission deserves great credit for bringing him here to work among the people of Pottstown.

Pottstown MRS. L. B.

## The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE  
FLORA G. 31, came to see me because of several nervous complaints.

"Dr. Crane, do you think I am crazy?" she blurted as soon as she had taken the chair I offered.

"What makes you think you are crazy?" I countered.

"Oh, a lot of things," she replied. "For the past three days I haven't been at the office. They don't know what's wrong, but think I have the flu.

"My real trouble, however, is that I think I am losing my mind. I don't dare go near a window lest I jump out. And last week, at the home of friends who have a new baby, I suddenly felt a desire to choke the child.

"Now I am afraid to go near any children. I've lost six pounds in weight, and simply cannot hold my job much longer. Dr. Crane, you must help me.

"What is going to happen to me now? I'm all alone in the world and if I can't hold my job, what then?" and she burst into tears.

This type of patient can be helped tremendously in one interview. Many mental problems, however, are a result of years of wrong habits. The cure, therefore, is a re-education job in right habits, that may require months or even years.

But Flora can be partly cured in just a few minutes so I showed her that she wasn't crazy nor did she have any symptoms. She has a nervous, as most of us probably have at some time or other. People who are mentally unbalanced or psychotic don't consult specialists. They don't think anything is wrong.

So if you are worrying lest you lose your mind, that very fact is pretty good proof that you aren't crazy. In order to worry, you must be in command of your mental faculty. Flora is simply having a deep emotional conflict.

Her story is very interesting and typical. I've heard it hundreds of times, and in varied forms I've written it for you in this column on two or three previous occasions.

Flora's parents died when she was 18. She got a job. And met her first sweetheart. Carried away by this romance, she made a serious mistake one night. She had an abortion, and then developed an infection.

Then she moved to Chicago. She obtained a new job, and fell in love with a man in her office, but he married another girl. After a few months, however, he came back to her, saying he wasn't living with his wife.

Because she believed him and loved him, she and he got an apartment. But he failed to get a divorce, as he had promised Flora. She finally became doubtful, and when he and his wife adopted a youngster, she moved out of the love nest.

But the man still works beside her in a downtown office. Flora has an inferiority complex owing to her inability, because of the operation, henceforth to have a child of her own. She has twice been frustrated in her desire for marriage.

She is also disgusted with herself for having been played for a sucker by this second boy friend. And her irritation reached such a peak that his adoption of a baby daughter caused her temporarily to project her ire on all children.

Thus, the sight of a baby in the home of some friends led to a strong desire to strangle it. Having learned the brief outline of her past life, you readers can now see why she felt such unusual impulses.

She feels frustrated with life, so she wonders if it wouldn't be better if she were dead. Thus, she is worried about jumping from the window.

In two hours I gave this girl a comprehensive picture of herself, showing why she felt as she did, and what she should do henceforth to regain happiness. She felt much better, as you can imagine. But obviously she isn't cured. It will take time for her to rebuild her life. As an aid, I am having her enroll in an evening psychology class at North-western.

And she is taking a new job so she will not be near the man who tricked her. There's plenty of happiness ahead for her if she resolutely steers her behavior henceforth by her brain.

## Taft's 1st Campaign Speech Gets Applause

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 — Senator Robert A. Taft, vacationing at Murray Bay, Ontario, declines to disclose whether or not his speech at Columbus, Ohio, was intended to be a criticism of Gov. Thomas E. Dewey's silence on big national issues. Even before he left Washington the Senator was very much in a "wait and see" mood regarding his own candidacy.

The first reaction in the Capital to Taft's opening gun was wide applause, not only for his defense of the Republican record in Congress, but also for his stinging attack on President Truman as a prisoner of the CIO and the New Deal.

Yet Taft himself is so unsure of the nation's verdict regarding his candidacy that he insists that he will wait until October, after a swing around the country, before tossing his hat into the ring. This time, unlike in 1944, he wants to be certain of wide popular support before tackling his old rival from New York.

On the surface Taft is behaving like a conventional candidate—touring the hustings, making addresses, conferring with politicians. Yet those in Washington who know him well hint that he is somewhat unhappy in his new role and that he was pushed into the fight by his brilliant, politically ambitious wife.

MEAT: He was having the time of his life as the undisputed boss of the Senate. Assured of a permanent post by winning Ohio voters, he could act as he saw fit and speak his mind without weighing the effect of his blunt words on the cosmopolitan national electorate.

He knows the headaches and the heartaches of the White House from his residence there as a boy. He remembers how miserable his father, President William Howard Taft, was in a chair into which he had been thrust by Theodore Roosevelt and how happy his father later felt as Chief Justice, the position the former President liked best of all.

But the Senator's wife has no such recollections or qualms. Her chief objective these days is to make her husband more politically minded and to refute the criticism that he has a heart stuffed with cracked ice.

Mrs. Taft and a Taft press agent recently admonished the Senator "Now, Chuck, (her pet name for Robert) when you go into a butcher shop, don't merely pay the bill and stalk out. Inquire about the price of the meat and then in a raised voice blame the Administration for the high cost of living. Ask the butcher about his children and then remember to mention the kids on your next visit."

A friend who overheard the conversation remarks that Taft grinned and shrugged his shoulders helplessly. Presumably he has not had to campaign in that intimate fashion. He does not enjoy the prospect of remarking his axe but cold personality into a back-slapping good fellow.

VACATION: The Senator has never needed to court favor among the masses. His high intelligence, courage and hard work were known to Ohio leaders and that was sufficient.

A couple years ago his colleagues in the Senate were advocating a brief Summer recess. Taft wanted to keep going. "Even if you don't need a rest" implored a Senator, "you could use the time mending fences among your constituents."

"My constituents are all away on vacation," replied Taft innocently, utterly unconscious that the less fortunate of Ohio who could not go on a holiday, might be considered constituents too.

Yet Taft, despite his reputation for personal aloofness and conservatism, has sponsored many liberal bills and recently even sought to investigate the well-heeled housing-lobby, much to the annoyance of the stand-patters. His championing of a long-range housing bill prompted Senator John W. Bricker, his colleague from Ohio, to retort, "The Marxists must have got to Taft."

After Taft has listened to the cheers in September as he visits California and the Mountain States, he may really catch the presidential bug. But right now he shows signs of not wishing to quit his exalted post in the upper chamber. His ambition is to make a record as one of the greatest Senators in United States history. After all, who but students know who was President when giants like Webster, Calhoun and Clay were in Congress?

STRATEGY: The present strategy of the Taft forces and the favorite-son crowd is to smoke out Dewey and to hector him into delivering addresses on national and international problems. So far the canny Governor of the Empire State has held his fire. New shouts of "speech, speech" are not likely to pry open his lips if he still thinks it shrewd tactics to keep mum.

Dewey has the faculty of learning from his own and another's mistakes. His grasp of amateurism and lack of political know-how lost him the GOP nomination in 1940. He corrected his system of campaigning and won the chance to slug it out with F. D. R. in 1944. As "titular leader" of the party in the off years, custom required him to initiate and defend Republican programs. But the Governor saw how much Congress resented Wilkie's advice when Wendell was "titular leader."

Calvin Coolidge used to remark, "What you don't say doesn't hurt you half as much as what you do say." Dewey isn't that cautious but he is wary of being type-cast too early as a "conservative," "internationalist" or "New Deal neo-rover" on the basis of a couple of radio addresses.

## One-Minute Test

1. What is the thymus?
2. What is a tunicate?
3. What is therapeutics?

### One-Minute Test Answers

1. A small gland in the lower neck, concerned with growth in infancy; it diminishes as the child grows.
2. A ringing noise in the ear.
3. The art and science of healing; also the scientific statement concerning the treatment of a disease or diseases.

## FLOWERS FOR LIVING

FOR THE  
JOAN SEIFINGER  
West High and Rice streets  
BECAUSE she will become the bride of Mr. Alfred F. Koren, South Pottstown.



## In Hollywood

By JIMMIE FIDLER

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 6 — The Hank Daniels family (he's starred in "The Burning Cross") snafu's a former Conover model) will be a threesome, come December . . .

Irene Dunne hasn't canceled her proposed South American tour, but she's decided to loll in Hawaii for three or four weeks before heading South . . .

Blue-pencil our memo of yesterday to the effect that nothing was taken by would-be car thieves who rifled Lynne Roberts' car: her five-year-old moppet is bewailing the loss of a whole case of bubble gum! . . .

Speaking of kids, Robert Alda's 12-year-old son, Alii, has been signed for the top juvenile role in a forthcoming New York stage play. . . .

Have you given a thought to the unusual nature of the Jack Oakie ménage? Venita Varden's mama has been his housekeeper ever since Venita divorced him, and she's going to continue in that capacity after his scheduled marriage to Vickie Horne . . .

Anent Hollywood mamas: 20th Century-Fox complaints about a dearth of stories suitable for Peggy Ann Garner, spurred Peggy Ann's mater to literary effort. She's finished a novel based on the life of a kid star in Hollywood, and studio bosses are interested . . .

Keep an eye on those Tony Martin-Cyd Charisse datings; pals say they're more than friends . . . Now it's Tim Holt who's trying to tear a page from the books of Roy Rogers and Gene Autry; he's signing up for a trick riding stunt on the Fall rodeo circuit. . . .

Nothing to that rumor that Claude Jarman's parents are rifted. Mrs. Jarman will spend the next year in Tennessee in order to give Claude's sister a chance to finish school there, then the whole family will establish permanent residence in Hollywood . . .

Gosh! One of the costumes that Carmen Miranda will wear for her next nite club engagement has a price tag of \$9000! . . . That Ida Lupino-Collier Young romance, flickering wanly for several months, is blazing hot again . . . Carlos Ramirez, the South American tenor who is featured in several MGM pictures last season, is honeymooning in Rio, after a secret marriage to a non-professional gal. . . .

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## Bridge

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

Fear Hidden Side Suit

BIDDING IN which the declarer's side calls nothing except the suit chosen for it, game contract is pretty likely to be based on one of two kinds of situations. Either the dummy, who gave a raise, especially a jump raise, is so short in some suit that he expects the declarer to ruff out losers in it, or else he has a fairly substantial side suit which can provide discards. . . .

In the first situation, a trump lead may prove best. In the second, the lead of a doubleton or singleton may prove the worst since it is in danger of being the declarer's or dummy's long side suit.

Against such bidding, just two kinds of leads are sound ordinarily. One is of a trump to prevent ruffs if the leader thinks dummy likely to have a short-suit lineup. The other is a suit which is long enough for it to be unlikely to be the dummy's or declarer's long side suit. A short suit lead such as a doubleton or singleton is definitely dangerous as likely to be the suit which will give the declarer discards of losers.

In this situation West chose the one lead which probably could not help him, a diamond. South then, of course, took out trumps and used the diamonds to complete a game and an extra. Leading either a heart or a club, preferably the former to avoid jeopardizing the club K, would have beaten the contract with two tricks each in those suits. . . .

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## 50 Years Ago

August 7, 1897

REPRESENTATIVES—Charles W. Leasing Jr. was elected delegate and Clymer Musser alternate to the State Firemen's convention at Wilkes-Barre in October by the Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company. . . .

ACCIDENT—Edward Pierman, 6, son of Tobias Pierman, 415 Chestnut street, ran a large fish hook into his knee yesterday afternoon while preparing for a fishing trip. . . .

HEALTH MENACE — Health Officer Clymer Musser, at the semi-monthly meeting of the board of health last night, reported a large growth of weeds in many of the alleys in the borough, which are a menace to the health of residents.



**HOUSEWIVES —**  
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added, "that it might be more convenient for the milkmen to deliver later. It might also be more convenient for the newspaper to be delivered at noon, but then it wouldn't be any good as a morning paper."

Favoring restoration of daily delivery rather than on alternate days, Mrs. McCaslin stated that she occasionally had to phone the dairy for additional milk.

"I'm used to getting milk for breakfast," said Mrs. Douglas Weller, 839 Spruce street. For her 16-months-old son, she "prefers to have it fresh each morning. Milk starts out the day for us."

As for alternate deliveries though, it doesn't make any difference to me. We order sufficient amounts of milk to carry us through until the next time."

If deliveries were made about 8 a. m., it would suit Mrs. Vincent Schweitzer, 277 Diamond street.

**VISIT**  
Pottstown's Popular  
**A & P SUPER MARKET**  
367 HIGH ST.  
Plenty of Free Parking  
Weekly Schedule of Store Hours:  
Mon., Tues., Wed. and Thurs. 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.  
Friday 8:30 A. M. to 9 P. M.  
Saturday 8:30 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Thinking of her small son, whose feeding time is about that hour of morning, she believes that the "milk would have less chance to turn."

"A later delivery would be especially less maddening in the winter time, because it would have less time to freeze up before getting it into the house."

Mrs. Robert Reber, Sanatoga, claimed that milk has been coming to her house later in the day than she likes. "My uncle, Franklin Steiner, a plant worker, comes home about 8 a. m., and sometimes there is no milk for his breakfast. I'd certainly rather have it delivered earlier."

To complicate matters, Mrs. Reber's husband goes out to work when her uncle comes in, and he usually wants milk in his lunch pail. Tardy deliveries plays havoc with the Reber routine.

"It seems to me," said Mrs. Robert Kulp, 16 Farmington court, "that milk gets a funny taste in warm weather when kept over an extra day. With alternate deliveries, this is the case."

Although the present system is working out okay, she'd rather have daily deliveries. "My husband takes milk in his lunch every morning, so it would be inconvenient to have late deliveries at our house."

Scientists have been resourceful enough to air-condition train coaches when they couldn't get the windows open, so perhaps a genius or two will, some future day, attempt the installation of a third faucet over our sinks. A third faucet... spouting milk.

At least, it would solve delivery problems.

**REMEMBERERS HOUSEKEEPER**  
ERIE, Aug. 6 (AP) — Frieda Franz, who served 17 years as housekeeper for Fay Hostettler, Erie insurance broker, receives the income from a \$75,000 trust fund under terms of Hostettler's will, filed for probate today.

**MILKMEN —**  
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most people like to have fresh milk for their breakfast, and that there wasn't much chance for the present anyway, for a change in hours.

Wilson P. Test, a Clover Leaf driver, said in answer to the query, "Nobody's told me of any change. He will start out at 4 a. m. as usual, although, like the others, he would prefer to begin a little later."

Many dairy owners are on their vacations, but those who could be reached last night confirmed that Pottstown dairies would keep right on rattling the milk bottles in the wee small hours.

Donnell Marshall, owner of the Laurel Locks farms, said that his three route drivers, working on alternate days, would continue to start at 4 a. m.

"Their day is broken around 8 o'clock in the morning," he elaborated, "and after breakfast they make their second round and make their collections."

George E. Boyer, assistant manager of the Clover Leaf Dairies, asserted, "I don't think our delivery time will be changed unless the drivers decided to make the change."

**Brooklyn Woman Posed As Long-Lost Aunt**  
EASTON, Aug. 6 (AP) — A 65-year-old Brooklyn grandmother was held today on charges of obtaining money under false pretenses by posing as a long-lost aunt.

Police arrested Mrs. Ada Davis at Cementon where she aroused the suspicions of Mrs. Lattie Reeder by posing as a Salt Lake City aunt of her husband, Richard Reeder.

Mrs. Reeder left the woman in the living room while she telephoned Salt Lake City and was told that the woman was an impostor.

In 1909, U. S. people spent about three-fourth of their incomes for food, clothing and shelter.

They make up their own schedules now and most of them go out around 4:30 a. m.

The Clover Leaf deliverymen, who, like the others in Pottstown, are not unionized, are not bound to the Philadelphia shift in delivery hours.

Since other dairy drivers will continue early morning deliveries, the consensus of Clover Leaf drivers was that they would continue to start out early as usual.

**WAR BRIDE —**  
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that the darkest hour for the English people was during the bombing," said Mrs. Buchert. "I firmly believe that present conditions are far worse. The English people expected to be rewarded with more than they are receiving today, and even with their meager rations, they are still feeding the Germans."

Those who receive the best care in England today, Mrs. Buchert pointed out, are pregnant women and newly-born babies. They get extra milk, cheese, eggs, cod liver oil and orange juice.

The Bucherts, who receive both English and American newspapers, are convinced that the American picture of English poverty is painted much blacker than in the British papers.

"My relatives complain only of the weather," added the war bride. "In fact, they refuse to accept aid, and instead, send us presents. Perhaps the reason is that they never had many luxuries."

Mrs. Buchert, who has relatives in New York and Iowa, already has toured these two states and the New

England area. Her return to England canceled vacation plans to visit other parts of the country, but "there'll be plenty of time when I come back," she said.

Having trouble getting rid of their apartment? No sir. Their home has been swarming with hopeful tenants for weeks. The couple hopes to be able to build a home next year. "Any cheery place that we can call our own will be heaven," said the attractive war bride.

**POLIO VICTIM DROWNS**  
DAYTON, Ohio, Aug. 6 (AP) — A swimming exercise to strengthen a polio crippled leg of 11-year-old Jack Lee Cummings ended in tragedy today when the boy drowned while his father watched, unable to help.

Settlers of New Zealand were Scotch, English, Irish, Dane, Norwegian, Swedish, and a few French, German, and American.

2 to 3-lb. FRYING CHICKENS Dressed and Delivered Twice Weekly From Farm to You  
LIVE 42c lb.—DRESSED 45c lb. 6c lb. extra cleaned and ready for the pan  
Special Price on Large Orders Phone Pottstown 855-J-2 G. B. JONES, Unionville, Route 31

**Jefferson Playground Dance Held Under Lights**  
The second informal affair of the season was held at Jefferson playground last night, as nearly 100 youngsters, parents and friends danced under floodlights on the school grounds.

Specialty dances included congo line, magic carpet dance, elimination dances and cut-in dance. Refreshments were served.

Among supervisors present were Francis Donnon, Dorothy and Mary Lou Purnell, Lorraine Hurter, Bob Scheffey, Mrs. Elsie Boyer, Miss Kjelman.

**MAIL CARRIER MISSING**  
ERIE, Aug. 6 — Police reports today they had been asked to search for Wilford Smith, 28, substitute mail carrier, who was last seen Tuesday night at a downtown postoffice.

**WANTED**  
at  
the Ellis Mills Store  
a MAN  
for Night Duty  
Conditions Healthful  
Work Not Hard  
Apply at Office  
Ellis Mills

**IT'S ONLY POT LUCK, JIM!**

**"IF THESE MEAT PATTIES ARE POT LUCK, BILL'S THE LUCKIEST GUY ON EARTH!"**

**MEAT PATTIES**  
with special flavor magic.  
They're so thrifty, too  
SEE EASY RECIPE BELOW!

**"Ring the bell with these better tasting Meat Patties!"**  
— says Aunt Jenny —

**"So delicious, so digestible—**Here's a family main dish that really rates! So whip out your frying pan—drop in the Spry and brown these juicy patties to tawny goodness. It's nice to know that foods fried the Spry way are so digestible even the children can eat their fill.

**"There's no unpleasant smoke or odor** when you fry with Spry at correct temperatures—and never an "off taste" to compete with the fresh flavors of your good ingredients. Spry is the one-and-only shortening you need for grand success with ALL your baking and frying."

**MEAT PATTIES**  
Delicious! Quick! Economical!

2 tablespoons Spry	1 egg, beaten
1 onion, minced	½ cup tomato juice
2 tablespoons green pepper, minced	1½ teaspoons salt
1 pound hamburger	1 teaspoon paprika
½ cup rolled oats	½ teaspoon dry mustard
	2 tablespoons horseradish

Melt Spry in skillet. Add onion and green pepper and fry about 10 minutes. Combine remaining ingredients. Add onion and green pepper; mix well.

Melt 3 tablespoons Spry in skillet until hot. Drop meat mixture by tablespoons into skillet. Fry until nicely browned on both sides. Makes 12 patties.

**ANOTHER FINE PRODUCT OF LEVER BROTHERS CO.**

**AUNT JENNY SAYS:**  
"BELIEVE ME, YOU'LL BE A BETTER COOK WITH SPRY"

**OH, SO SMOOTH!**  
**SWAN LEAVES MY SKIN LIKE SATIN!**

**OF COURSE! NO OTHER SOAP HAS SWAN'S "SUPER-CREAMED BLEND" THAT HELPS KEEP YOUR SKIN SMOOTH AND RADIANT!**

**That luscious lather feels like cream on your face!**

- Wait till you thrill to the touch of Swan's satiny lather! It's like rich cream on your face.
- A beauty lather no other soap has—for no other soap gives you Swan's "super-creamed blend."

**Leaves your skin Swan-smooth—not taut and drawn!**

- How lovely—the smooth glow of your skin! How wonderful—the way Swan cleanses so thoroughly—rinses away so completely.
- No taut, dry feeling, thanks to Swan's "super-creamed blend."

**Stay super-lovely! Use Swan for your complexion!**

- Try all the costly beauty soaps you want—none treats your skin more gently than Swan!
- Snowy, floating Swan—mild as fine castles—is made to agree. Make Swan your beauty soap!

**SWAN**  
PURE WHITE

Another fine product of Lever Brothers Company

**SWAN'S "super-creamed blend" MEANS A SUPER-LOVELY YOU!**



### ATTLEE SEES —

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...ing for current work. Britain will ask an easing of the non-discrimination clause which prevents her from cutting down purchases in the United States in order to increase them in non-dollar countries.

### United States May Ease Terms of British Loan

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2 (P)—Secretary of State Marshall held out to the British today a guarded hope for American assistance in their economic crisis by some agreement under the Anglo-American loan pact which would lessen the drain on their dwindling dollar supply.

Marshall told a news conference it is his understanding that at least two provisions of the loan contract could be modified without congressional action. Those are the provisions under which Britain now has to buy from the United States without discriminating in favor of other suppliers, and has to convert pounds sterling paid out in other foreign markets into dollars on request.

### Tired, 'All-In'—Listless Feeling Brought To Halt

As Vibrant Energy is Released To Every Muscle, Fibre, Cell

Do you get up in the mornings still tired, feel down-and-out all day? Have you checked-up on your blood strength lately? Overwork, undue worry, cold, flu or other illness often wears down the red blood-cells.

Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red-blood-cells must pour forth from the marrow of your bones to replace those that are worn-out. A low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, a run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease.

To get real relief you must keep up your blood strength. Medical authorities, by analysis of the blood, have by positive proof shown that SSS Tonic is amazingly effective in building up low blood strength in non-organic nutritional anemia. This is due to the SSS Tonic formula which contains special and potent activating ingredients.

Also, SSS Tonic helps you enjoy the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juice when it is non-organically too little or scanty—thus the stomach will have little cause to get balky with gas, bloating and give off that sour food taste.

Don't wait! Energize your body with rich, red blood. Start on SSS Tonic now. As vigorous blood surges throughout your whole body, greater freshness and strength should make you eat better, sleep better, feel better, work better, play better, have a healthy color glow in your skin—firm, fresh, full out bulging places. Millions of bottles sold. Get a bottle from your drug store. SSS Tonic helps Build Sturdy Health.

### Grange to Accept New Members Only Twice Each Year

Sanatoga grange members decided at their regular meeting last night that in the future, new members would be taken in only twice a year.

In the past, members went into the organization during any weekly session, but this practice has been altered to allow new prospects to officially join the group at the second meeting night in October, and the first in November.

Announcement was made also that Booster Night would be staged Sept. 30.

Juveniles took charge of the literary program at last night's meeting. Percy Born recited a poem entitled "My Father Can Luck Your Father." Rounding out the agenda were two piano solos, one each by Dolores Puhli and Patsy Hanna, a monolog by Mary Ann Rapp, and a play called "Herbie and the Mumps."

Characters for the presentation were Mabel Reminger, Hobbie Snell, Barbara Wentzel, Doris Rapp, Leonard Shiz, Franklin Reminger, and master of ceremonies George Clayton.

An attendance contest, which was won by the Eagles division of the grange, will treat the Owls to a picnic August 23.

Ethelbert Barnard, grange master, was in charge of the meeting.

### CITIZENS BANK —

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the Pennsylvania State Association of County Controllers.

During World War II he was solicitor for the Pottstown borough and school board during the absence in the armed service of C. Edmund Wells. In 1935, he succeeded his father as president of the Congregation Mercy and Truth. He is secretary of the Varsity Works, South Keim street.

### HEAT WAVE —

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places in the Midwest. Chicago recorded 101, for the third day of 100-degree heat. Effingham, Ill. and St. Louis had 104; Paris, Tenn., 105; Memphis 102; Vichy, Mo., 103; Columbia, Mo., 102; Pellston, Mich., 103, and Terre Haute and LaPorte, Ind., 102.

The temperature soared to 113 at Yuma, Ariz., 112 at Phoenix, 106 at Fresno, Calif., and 105 at Batesville, Ark.

### HUGHES CLAIMS —

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Government gave Hughes and Industrialist Henry J. Kaiser. Hughes said "I charge specifically" that at a luncheon in the Brewster suite in the Mayflower hotel here the past February:

"The senator in so many words told me that the hearings need not go on if I agreed to merge the TWA airline with Pan American and to go along with the bill for a single overseas airline."

After he refused to go through with a merger, he said, he interpreted the "tuning of the subsequent dispatch of committee investigator Francis Plannan to the West coast as putting on 'the screws'."

Brewster flatly said it wasn't so that he ever offered to halt the inquiry now in progress—"I can assure you that I never did."

His voice broke with emotion as he testified that as early as the past April 16, an effort was made to lay the groundwork for a charge of his proposing to stop the inquiry if the airline merger went through.

Preliminary inquiries were under way then into the affairs of Hughes' companies, he said. And he went on:

Hugh Fulton, once the chief committee counsel, saw George Meader, who at that time was chief counsel. Fulton suggested that Meader withhold any recommendation of continuing or dropping the inquiry

but "leave that decision entirely to Senator Brewster."

"If that statement of Mr. Meader is accurate," Brewster said, "it certainly reveals pretty accurately the trap that they were seeking to lay for me."

Brewster acknowledged he had twice discussed with Hughes a possible merger of TWA and Pan American.

Once, he said, was when he entertained the tool, movie and plane manufacturer in his hotel apartment here the last February. The other, he added, was in a transcontinental telephone call in March.

But of Hughes' declaration that he offered to cancel the hearings in exchange for the merger, the senator said he "never did"; that the proposition "sounds more like Hollywood than it does Washington."

And just before the subcommittee chairman, Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.), stopped the show for the day, Hughes said he wants to fire "200 to 500" questions at Brewster. The hearings resume tomorrow morning.

Ferguson had announced that Hughes and Brewster would have equal privileges but that neither would be accorded the right of cross examination. If they want to ask questions, he said, it must be done through committee members.

Brewster testified it was Hughes who brought up the question of a TWA-Pan American merger when

### Sewer System Work To Begin in Stowe

West Pottsgrove commissioners, meeting last night in the West End Fire company building, announced that construction work on the new Stowe sewer system would begin next Monday at two points.

Workmen will be ready to start action at Quinter and Glasgow streets. The other starting point has yet to be selected by Engineer George M. Shaner, and work will get under way there after the sewer contractor has obtained a digging permit from Russell P. Yost, commission secretary.

Announcement was also made by the township tax collector that he had but \$1500 yet to collect out of a \$16,000 yearly amount. This was considered by Yost to be "way ahead this year."

They were together at the senator's hotel apartment.

"I had not heard of it before," he said.

### ACCIDENTS —

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street and apparently was crossing the street to go home.

A Royersford youth was admitted to Pottstown hospital late last night after he was thrown from his motorbike.

David Wynn, 15, Royersford RD 1, was riding his bike near his home when he struck loose gravel and was thrown violently from the vehicle.

Taken to his home by a passing motorist, he then was driven to the hospital by his mother, arriving there at 10:30 p. m.

His injuries were not serious, hospital authorities said. Wynn was suffering from deep lacerations of the left elbow and right ankle, abrasions and slight lacerations of the right arm, and brushburns of the hips and waist.

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OTTAWA, Aug. 6 (P)—Six, seven-year-old Otto Smith of Cripple Creek, Colo., docked his 18-foot canoe here today after paddling 4500 miles from Vancouver over the waterways used by early explorers and fur traders.

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### New Tax Receipts Meet Expectations, Official Says

HARRISBURG, Aug. 6 (AP)—Pennsylvania's new soft drink tax and double taxes on cigarettes and beer is in excess of "all our expectations," State Revenue Secretary David W. Harris said today.

"We're more than satisfied with the returns," he told a reporter in commenting on the July collections of the new levy which totaled \$1,621,490, a sharp upturn from \$363,290 received in June.

The State budget office forecast the new tax will bring in \$35,000,000 in the next two years, but Deputy Revenue Secretary W. H. Beachy estimated it will yield \$10,000,000 more than that. He also predicted the income would be stabilized at about \$2,000,000 monthly when collection machinery goes into high gear.

Meanwhile, 15 new companies have entered the soft drink bottling field since the tax law was passed in June in the face of opposition from soft drink interests who claimed it would drive bottlers out of business.

The department reported the new cigarette tax of four cents a pack netted \$3,249,105 the past month, compared to \$1,754,997 for July 1946 when the levy was two cents a package.

Receipts from beer—on which the tax also was doubled—reached \$3,044,958 in July in comparison to

### Report Is Grim



Arriving in New York from Europe are Mrs. Edna Blue, international chairman of the Foster Parents Plan for War Children, and her daughter, Alice, youth representative of the plan. Completing a seven-week tour, Mrs. Blue said there are 30,000,000 undernourished children in Europe most of them trying to live and grow on a diet which is below the minimum requirement of 2000 calories a day.

1,100,420 for the same month a year ago.

The Commonwealth's four-cents a gallon gasoline impost remained unchanged but revenues totaled \$6,313,140 in July compared with \$5,323,861 a year ago.

### Police Arrest Solicitor; He Pays \$10 Fine, Costs

A charge of disorderly conduct was preferred against John J. Bennett Bonetowsky, of Lansford, who was arrested on Monday by Patrolmen Michael Shanta and Paul Brudegan.

He was given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Richard H. Cadmus, of the Seventh ward, last night and paid a fine of \$10 and costs. Shanta appeared against the defendant.

Police said Bonetowsky had been soliciting subscriptions for a religious magazine without authority, mostly in Skow and in the Third and Fourth wards. Yesterday, a representative of a Philadelphia publishing house arrived in Pottstown and agreed to make good all subscriptions taken by Bonetowsky. As a result, the charge was changed to disorderly conduct instead of obtaining money under false pretenses.

**TREASURY BALANCE**  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (AP)—The position of the Treasury Aug. 4: Receipts, \$96,496,487.77; expenditures, \$94,537,831.60; balance, \$3,105,268,678.94. Total debt, \$259,441,768,572.58; increase over previous day, \$5,264,375.50.

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### Secretary Bevin Stumped By War Bride Problem

LONDON, Aug. 6 (AP)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told the house of commons today he had despaired of getting 15 Russian war brides of British service and diplomatic personnel out of the USSR because of Soviet objections.

"I must make the frank statement that I do not think there is a hope of getting them out," he said in reply to a question.

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California Bartlett Pears ..... 6 for 25c  
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Kellogg's Corn Flakes ..... 2 large boxes 29c  
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## Vacationing With Mercury Readers

By THE VACATION EDITOR  
of The Mercury Staff

It's a fun the way some people play golf on Sunday . . . the way some people play . . . Whether on vacation or not, possibly ten percent of the populace strike out Sunday afternoons to play golf—or rather ten percent of the golfers.

But regardless of when it's played, it's a game where most of us stand too close to the ball after we hit it. Every rank amateur knows that the golf ball must be hard hit to get anywhere, but to the non-participant, it is simply an object that remains on the tee while some citizen fans it vigorously with a long club.

What a way to spend a day off . . . betting the breeze!

"Julia and Don," no local address, are "enjoying our week's stay very much . . . fishing, swimming,



Lower Raymondskill Falls, Milford and hiking, also the good mountain air." The view they sent shows the Lower Raymondskill Falls and Bridal Veil, near Milford.

"Spending most of our Summer days with our dear friends at Promised Land Lake," said Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilmer Stuewiler, Pottstown RD 1. "It is nice and cool here, and the deer come close to our cabin." Their card shows a few of the animals.

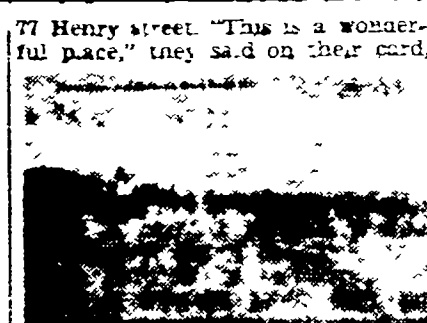
Visiting in Beach Haven, N. J., are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fredericks.

### Rectal Soreness Get Relief New Easy Way —Sit In Comfort

Prolarmon is a quick, dependable relief of itching, painful rectal soreness—pruritus—which may also accompany piles and hemorrhoids. Brings soothing relief of discomfort upon contact, forms protective film over sore area, helps destroy infectious germs, aids Nature heal up raw, broken tissues. No all-no grates to stain clothing. Sold on money back guarantee. Be sure to get this modern relief today . . . ask for

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AT ALL SUN DAY DRUG STORES



Beach Scene, Beach Haven, N. J. which shows a beach scene from the boardwalk at Beach Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Oehert, Royersford, "have been staying at Ocean City, N. J. for six days, attending an auxiliary meeting at this



Hotel Biscayne, Ocean City, N. J. hotel." Their card pictures the Biscayne hotel, situated at Moorlyn Terrace and Ocean avenue.

At Niagara Falls, Lew and Peg Svoenack, no local address given, "visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kenworthy, formerly of Pottstown." Then they went on to Detroit, Wis.

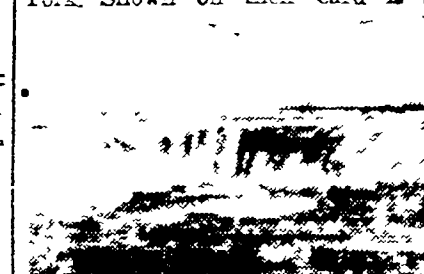
### "UNBLOCK" your DIGESTIVE TRACT And Stop Dosing Your Stomach With Soda and Alkalizers

Don't expect to get real relief from headache, sour stomach, gas and bad breath by taking acids and other alkalizers if the true cause of your trouble is constipation. In the case, your real trouble is not in the stomach at all. But in the intestinal tract where 80% of your food is digested. And when the lower part gets blocked food may fail to digest properly.

What you want for real relief is something to "unblock" your lower intestinal tract. Something to clean it out effectively—help Nature get back on her feet.

Get Carter's Pills right now. Take as directed. They gently and effectively "unblock" your digestive tract. This permits all 6 of Nature's own digestive juices to mix better with your food. You get genuine relief from indigestion so you can feel really good again. Buy Carter's Pills today. "Unblock" your intestinal tract for real relief from indigestion.

son, Ontario, Niagara Falls again, Adirondack mountains and New York. Shown on their card is a



Horseshoe Falls, Niagara scene of the Horseshoe Falls at Niagara.

The ivory gull is found in the Polar Sea at 85 degrees North, less than 300 miles from the Pole, the most northerly record of any bird.

## Borough Briefs

Summonses "will be sent to two alleged traffic law violators by Justice of the Peace Charles A. Andre, of the West ward.

William Doran, of Pittsburgh, is charged by Patrolman George Waylock with passing a red traffic signal at High and Manatwamy streets on Tuesday evening at 7:55 o'clock.

Stephen Shalamanda, of Connetton, Schuylkill county, is alleged to have passed a red traffic signal at High and Hanover streets, yesterday morning at 12:30 o'clock. Patrolman Harold E. Hamm filed the complaint.

## Traffic Signals Delivery Expected in About Month

Arrival of four new traffic signals to be placed at King and Hanover, King and Charlotte, High and

Evans and at High and Adams streets is expected in about a month's time, Borough Manager Dow L. Bears said yesterday. The high poles at these corners are already in position.

The signals are being made at

the factory of the Regis Signal company.

Mechina in Belgium, formerly noted for lace, still carries on a large trade in linen, needles, furniture, and oil.

**BRAZIL BUYS 30 PLANES**  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (AP)—The State department today announced that 30 American military aircraft, including 20 combat planes, were sold to Brazil in June for \$1,194,000. Their original cost was \$12,500,000.

## POTTSTOWN COMMUNITY \$DOLLAR DAYS SPECIALS AT VAN BUSKIRK & BRO. 218 High St.

White Shopping Baskets, were \$1.25 -- NOW \$1  
Oak Wood Wash Boards -- NOW 25c  
Metal Vegetable Bins, Were \$2.75 -- NOW \$2.25  
Hand Sprayers, Were 35c -- NOW 25c  
5 Prong Metal Cultivators, Were \$1.65 -- NOW \$1  
White Bread Boxes, Were \$2.65 -- NOW \$1.75  
Enameled 4 Gal. Chicken Waterers, Were \$4.25, NOW \$3.50  
Wooden Wheelbarrows, Were \$9.35 -- NOW \$6  
Folding Card Table Chairs Were \$6.50 NOW \$5.25  
Rotary Hedge Trimmers, Were \$5.85 -- NOW \$4  
12 qt. Tinned Milk Buckets, Were 90c, NOW 75c  
Handy Carls, Were \$9.50 -- NOW \$8.50  
Coldwell Lawn Mowers, Were \$28.60, NOW \$21  
Garden Role (Rotenone) --- 5 lbs. 90c lb. 28c

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Choose From Famous Bands!  
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Look At These Artists!  
• Frank Sinatra • Dinah Shore • Andy Russell • Perry Como • Bing Crosby • King Cole • Ink Spots • Al Jolson and other famous artists.

### SUNTAN NEEDS

Conti Lotion . . . . .	59c
Tartan Lotion . . . . .	59c
Skol . . . . .	29c, 49c, 79c
Gaby . . . . .	25c, 47c, 89c
Loria Oil . . . . .	19c, 33c

### DEODORANTS

Odorgone Cream . . . . .	25c, 49c
Fresh No. 2 Jar . . . . .	43c
Amolin Cream . . . . .	29c
Mum . . . . .	30c
Amolin Powder . . . . .	31c
Odorono Cream . . . . .	39c
Arrid . . . . .	39c

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Reg. 25c Woodbury Lana Lotion Regular 3-oz. Bottle. Clearance **17c**

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<h3>Girls' Dresses</h3> <p>SIZES 8 to 14</p> <p>Rev. \$6.95 Values</p> <h2>\$3.95</h2>	<h3>MEN'S SHOES</h3> <p>All Sizes — Not All Styles</p> <p>Regular \$9.95 Values</p> <h2>\$4.95</h2>	<h3>Ladies' Dresses</h3> <p>Reg. \$9.95 Values</p> <h2>\$4.95</h2>						
<h3>LADIES' Raincoats</h3> <h2>\$12.95</h2> <p>All Colors</p> <p>\$16.95 Value</p>	<h3>LADIES' SUITS</h3> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Regular \$20.95 Value</td> <td>Regular \$32.95 Value</td> <td>Regular \$38.95 Value</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>\$10</b></td> <td><b>\$15</b></td> <td><b>\$20</b></td> </tr> </table>	Regular \$20.95 Value	Regular \$32.95 Value	Regular \$38.95 Value	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$15</b>	<b>\$20</b>	<h3>Ladies' Blouses</h3> <p>Reg. \$5.95</p> <p>SIZES 22 to 32</p> <h2>\$3.95</h2> <p>GIRLS' BLOUSES</p> <p>Sizes 10 to 14</p> <p>Reg. \$2.95 Value</p> <h2>\$1.45</h2>
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CAKE COVER	1.93 1.73
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SCISSOR JACK	6.95 4.49
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### It's Twins for Famous Horse



The first twins ever to survive on the Helis stock farm at Johnstown, N. J., are shown at feeding time with their mother, "Step North", owned by Mrs. Elizabeth Whitney. The twins, as rare in the equine world as quadruplets are in the human world, are a colt and a filly. Their dad is "Valdina Orphan", a sire that cost \$100,000.

### Confederate Cash Buys Some Land In Florida Deal

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Aug. 6 (P) —Who says Confederate money won't spend?

Don P. Duell, former resident of Derby, N. Y., now living in Miami as a civilian auditor for the Air Forces, "bought" ten acres of Florida land with \$691 in old Confederate currency.

The deal, result of a sentimental swap between Duell and A. L. Rhodes, Jacksonville Pullman conductor, came about this way, according to Rhodes:

Seven years ago Duell wrote Fred P. Cone, then governor of Florida, asking for a farm plot on untenanted Florida land in exchange for the Confederate money. He received the worthless currency. Duell advised the governor, from a Confederate veteran in payment for a trailer and camping equipment.

"I knew there was no commercial value to this money," he wrote, explaining that he had accepted it "out of respect for the dear old South... and because this oldster was a fine old fellow."

Cone informed Duell that the state could not make such a swap but Rhodes, reading about the proposal in a Jacksonville newspaper, became interested and offered the New Yorker a 10-acre tract he owned near Kissimmee, Fla.

"We like your feeling toward the old Confederate veteran and feel that Florida would profit in having such a person as you for a citizen or guest," Rhodes wrote.

Duell sent Rhodes the Confederate money back in 1940 but didn't show up to claim his property until this year. Now he is planning to buy an additional ten acres—this time with legal tender.

### HUNGARY LOSES —

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said it acted after examining the situation anew in view of the overthrow of the Hungarian government in May by Communists.

Other factors listed by Marshall were:

1. An improvement in Hungary's outlook for cotton supply.
2. What Marshall called the threat of nationalization which hangs over the two Hungarian banks which were to have received the credit.

The action marks the second such step taken toward the re-organized Hungarian government. On June 2 a \$15,000,000 surplus property credit was canceled because of the changed political situation.

In telling of the latest protest to Romania, the State department said it had rejected Bucharest's contention that the arrests were of no concern to the United States since they were internal security measures.

### Japan May Get Better Wool From Australia

CANBERRA, Aug. 6 (P) — Commerce Minister Reginald Pollard is considering what better types of wool Australia may be able to supply Japan in the future. Small shipments already made have been of inferior grades.

With the resumption of private trading with Japan in August, the Australian government expects that Japanese firms requiring wool will make their own requests for types they require.

A government source said it was not likely Japanese buyers would be allowed to enter Australia in the immediate future.

Three quarters of all logs and lumber in the United States are shipped entirely by truck.

A dog has been known to understand as many as 400 words.

### SPECIAL DOLLAR DAY SALE

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Co-operating with Pottstown's Community Dollar Day, Friday, Aug. 8th and Saturday, Aug. 9th.

We are offering the buying public an opportunity of saving not a dollar, but MANY DOLLARS.

For the two days mentioned above every article in our stock (excepting window shades and linoleums).

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and many other items too numerous to mention. Come In and Be Convinced.

## WILSON'S

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Phone 1845

### SAFETY COUNCIL —

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year. Two fatal accidents already have been reported in August.

It was announced that progress is being made in obtaining prizes for the forthcoming Safety Slogan contest for grade school children up to the age of 16 years.

The contest, which begins with the opening of school and runs until Sept. 26, limits the slogans to ten words or less.

Service clubs throughout the country have been asked to contribute prizes, according to Raymond C. Kelley, Second ward Justice of the Peace and member of the council committee.

Dr. Allen C. Harman, Abington, assistant county superintendent of schools, told the council members that a drivers' school for teachers would be held in the Norristown Senior High school from Sept. 15-19.

The 40-hour course will be open to all teachers whose school boards approve their attendance. Sixteen already have registered with six others tentatively prepared to attend.

O. C. Beacraft, manager of the Pottstown Automobile club and chairman of the Safety council, who presided yesterday, reported on the satisfactory conclusion of the driving school here, in which 25 of 40 applicants successfully completed their course and passed their drivers' tests.

### TOURISTS AT FORD PLANT

DETROIT, Aug. 6 (P) — Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hielscher, 81-year-old Seattle, Wash., couple making a transcontinental tour in their 1921 model T Ford, were guests of the Ford Motor company today.

### 3300 CLAIMS

HAMBURG, Aug. 6 (P) — The total number of claims for restitution of property removed by the Germans from occupied countries received by the British authorities up to the end of May totaled 3300 and releases up to that date totaled 2417.

A street in Monrovia, capital of Liberia, is called "Broadway."

### Fire School Certificates To Be Given at Dinner

Awards of certificates will be made to 55 members of the three local fire companies who recently completed a fire school course under direction of Paul H. Mogel, of Reading.

Presentations will be made at a banquet on Thursday night, Aug. 21, at Lakeside Inn, Limerick.

Among the guests will be the following: Burgess William A. Griffith; Chairman Ralph Weiss of the fire committee of Borough council; Fire Chief Richard E. Lindauer, assistant Chiefs Robert Roth and Irvin Scheetz; Fire Marshall Harold Wentzel; Capt. Daniel S. Drumheller, of the Fire Police association; Charles M. Jones, president of the Firemen's Relief association; former Battalion Chief Frank Rowe; Chief Richard Moser, of the Empire Hook and Ladder company; Chief Victor Fegley and President Mike Schroyer, of the Philadelphia Steam Fire Engine company; Leslie D. Rhoads, president of the Good Will company; Elwood Kerr, president of the Empires, and Russell Mogel, of Reading.

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Sizes 8 to 13 Sold up to \$15.90  
**\$9.90**

#### BOYS' STUDENT SUITS

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#### BOYS' TWO-TONE LOUNGE COATS

Were Priced Up to \$15.90  
**\$7.90**

#### BOYS' SPORT JACKETS

Were A Real Buy At \$12.90 and \$15.90  
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#### BOYS' SWEATERS

With or Without Sleeves  
**\$1.90**

#### Boys' Lined Zelan UTILITY JACKETS

Were \$3.95  
**\$1.90**

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At an Honest Reduction of 1/4 Cotton Gabardine  
**TUB TROUSERS**  
Were \$2.95 **\$1.80**

#### MEN'S SWEATERS

Long or Short Sleeves  
**1/4 OFF Former Prices**



#### MEN'S SUITS

Sold up to \$45.00  
**\$25.90 and \$27.90**

#### MEN'S CASUAL COATS

Were \$13.90  
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Sold up to \$24.90  
**\$18.90**

Men's Zephyr Weight Roll-In-Pocket  
**RAIN COATS**  
Were \$12.40 **\$6.90**

#### MEN'S SHIRTS

Regular Long Sleeves—Dress Style  
**1/4 OFF FORMER PRICES**

#### MEN'S BELTS

Were \$1 each **3 for \$1.00**

#### MEN'S HAWAIIAN Figured Boxer SWIM SHORTS

A Regular \$2.80 Value  
**\$1.00**

#### ALL STRAW HATS

**\$1.25**

#### PANAMAS

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**\$27.50** Bunting All Metal Gliders, Now **\$22.94**  
**\$14.95** Children's Lawn Swing, Now **\$14.50**  
**\$19.95** Gymnasium for Outdoors, Now **\$16.95**  
**\$12.95** Sand Boxes. Sturdy-Colorful  
 Now . . . . . **\$11.95**  
**\$22.50** Chaise Lounges, With  
 Adjustable Head Rest . . . . Now **\$18.95**  
**\$6.95** Metal Yacht Chairs . . . . Now **\$ 4.75**  
**\$9.95** Lawn Bench-Comfortable, Now **\$ 7.95**

## DOMESTICS and LINENS

Reg. **\$5.95** Summer Quilts . . . . . Now **\$4.95**  
 Reg. **\$2.69** Crinkled Bed Spreads . . . . Now **\$1.95**  
 Cannon Towels . 89c-Wash Cloths . . . 29c  
 Table Cloths . . **\$1.89**-Mattress Pads **\$3.95**  
 3 Piece Lace Table Cloth Set . . . . Only **\$7.95**  
 Mattress Covers . **\$6.95**Lace Curtains . **\$2.98**  
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Summer Rugs, 27 in. by 54 in. to  
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 Chenille Rugs, All Sizes . . . . . **\$1.95** up  
 Congoleum, Armstrong or Gold Seal 95c sq. yd.  
 Congowall by Gold Seal . . . . . 14c sq. ft.  
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Reg. **\$11.95** Maple Cricket Chairs, Now **\$7.95**  
 Reg. **\$16.50** Boudoir Chairs . . . . Now **\$11.95**  
 Reg. **\$39.50** Drop Leaf Table . . . . Now **\$14.50**  
 Reg. **\$2.29** Magazine Rack . . . . . Now **\$1.49**  
 Boys' and Girls' Bikes . . . . . Only **\$55**

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**\$79** Sofa Bed . . . . . Now **\$59.00**  
**\$89** Sofa Bed . . . . . Now **\$69.00**  
**\$95** Sofa Bed . . . . . Now **\$79.50**  
**\$89** Studio Couch . . . . . Now **\$69.00**

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Reg. **\$6.95** End Tables . . . . . **\$4.50**  
 Reg. **\$9.95** End Tables . . . . . **\$7.75**  
 Reg. **\$14.95** Lamp Tables . . . . . **\$9.95**  
 Reg. **\$19.75** Lamp Tables . . . . . **\$14.75**  
 Reg. **\$15.00** Coffee Tables . . . . . **\$11.95**  
 Reg. **\$19.95** Coffee Tables . . . . . **\$13.75**  
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 Reg. **\$29.95** Commode Tables . . . . . **\$22.50**  
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 Living Room Suite . . . . . **\$179**  
 Reg. **\$269**-3 pc. International  
 Living Room Suite . . . . . **\$179**  
 Reg. **\$295**-3 pc. Artistic  
 Living Room Suite . . . . . **\$239**  
 Reg. **\$350**-3 pc. Becker  
 Living Room Suite . . . . . **\$279**  
 Reg. **\$238** 2 pc. Lawson Type Suite . . . **\$175**  
 Reg. **\$195** Tapestry 3 Cushion Sofa . . . **\$139**  
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### Car Prices Continue Upward Trend; Ford Closes All Plants

DETROIT, Aug. 6 (AP)—Two more of the nation's automobile manufacturers, feeling the pinch of steadily mounting production costs, increased their retail prices again today and trade quarters generally believe similar advances are in the making throughout most of the remainder of the industry.

Packard, which so far this year has failed to make a profit on its operations, increased prices on its various models from \$92 to \$200; Kaiser-Frazer, which has just emerged from the "red," implemented an increase of \$99 on its Frazer standard model.

A week ago General Motors increased retail car prices from \$57 to \$168.

And while prices to the new car buyer continued to move upward, production got another blow as Ford closed down its plants tonight until next Tuesday. The Ford shutdown meant a loss of three working days' output, or a little more than 5000 passenger cars, and idled about 51,000 hourly rated employees.

The halting of the Ford assembly lines was attributed to materials shortages.

Meanwhile, work suspension in other plants, attributed mainly or indirectly to the intense heat, made approximately 27,000 more auto workers idle in the Detroit area today. Chiefly affected were 8500 workers in four Briggs Manufacturing company plants, and about 16,600 Chrysler corporation employees, whose work material was cut off by the Briggs suspension.

At mid-day official readings placed the temperature at 91 degrees and still rising. Within the factories, especially in key departments whose suspension forced other units down, it was reportedly many degrees higher.

Packard's price increase was the third upward revision by that company so far this year. On Jan. 7, it announced a "weighted average increase of \$62 per car after allowing for a spare tire now being shipped as standard equipment," on May 14, increases ranging from \$75 to \$224 were made effective.

Also on May 14, Kaiser-Frazer upped the price of its Frazer standard model \$139 and its Kaiser special \$124. W. A. MacDonald, Kaiser-Frazer vice president in charge of sales, said the company had no present plans to increase the price of its Kaiser special or Frazer Manhattan models at this time.

Generally industry sources trace the current increase in manufacturing costs to the recent advances in coal and steel prices as well as to higher wages in its own assembly plants and in the factories of its suppliers.

### BALLY

Miss Clara Gehman, corr. Photo-Bally 43-2-1. Richard Schell, delivery.

Jean, daughter of Norman Schell, fell while playing at the home of Daniel Longacre and fractured her arm at the wrist.

Mrs. Harvey Gehman was confined to bed several days suffering from a cold.

Herman Henry, an employee of Allen Schantz's poultry farm, was taken ill suddenly Sunday with heart trouble, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Bechtel left Sunday for Detroit, Mich., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kohl for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nice, of Souderton, and Barbara Moyer, of Moravio, spent several days the past week with their sister, Mrs. Eli Gehman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grill and son, of Pottstown, were Sunday guests of his mother, Mrs. Hannah Grill and family.

Edgar Kulp and family are spending the week at the bungalow in Pike county.

Misses Mary Ernst and Kathryn Gehman spent the week and attending the Young Peoples institute at the Lancaster Menonite school.

Mrs. Pauline Cole who taught the upper grades in the borough school here, called on Mr. and Mrs. David Gehman Saturday. She was recently elected principal of the elementary school at Clementon Camden County, N. J.

Motor travel in 1946 totaled 170,000,000,000 miles, according to the Public Roads Administration.

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### New Anesthetic Seen Substitute for Needle

BOSTON, Aug. 6 (AP)—A Chicago dentist reported today that dentists may be able to throw away the needle they use against nerves.

Dr. Gustav W. Rapp of Loyola university described for a meeting of the American Dental Association a new anesthetic — "topocaine" — which needs no needle and which he said has been successful with three out of four patients in preliminary tests.

Topocaine is simply applied with a cotton pellet to flood the cavity. Dr. Rapp said but is not ready to be recommended for general use until after further study.

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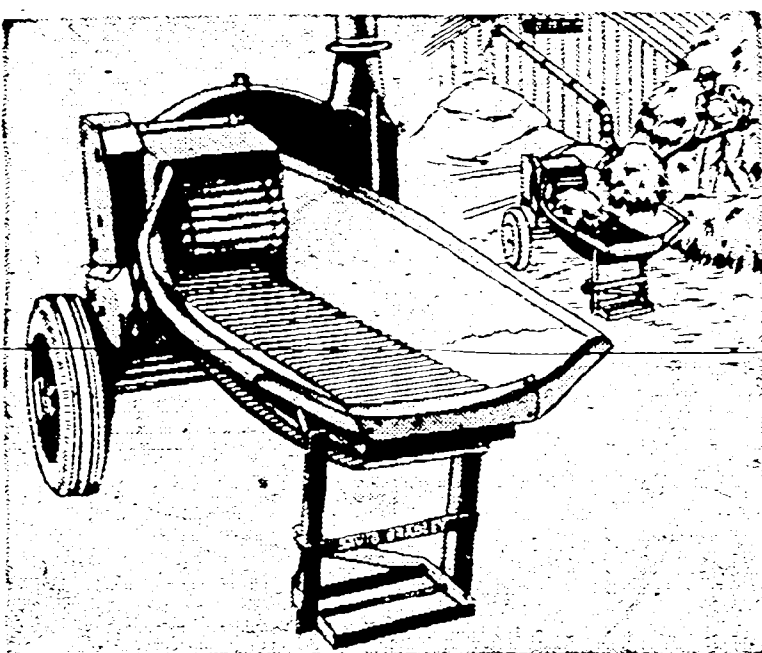
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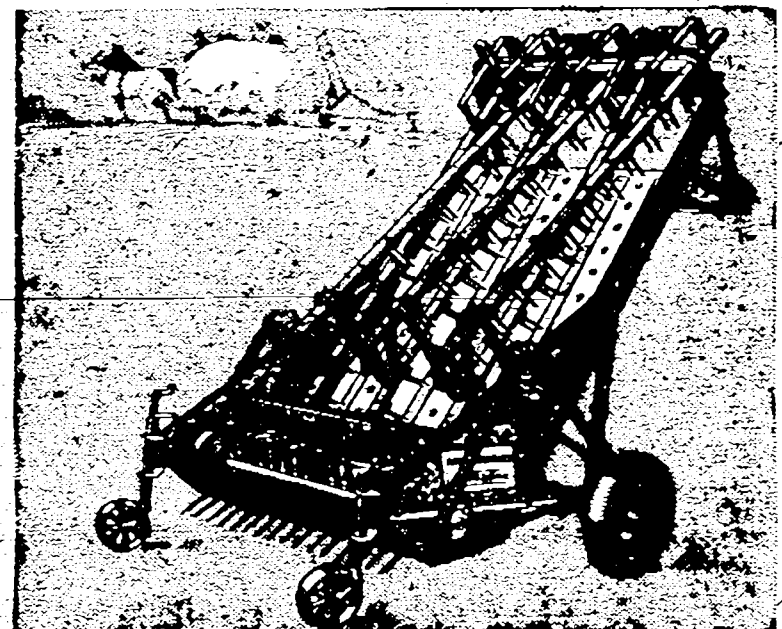
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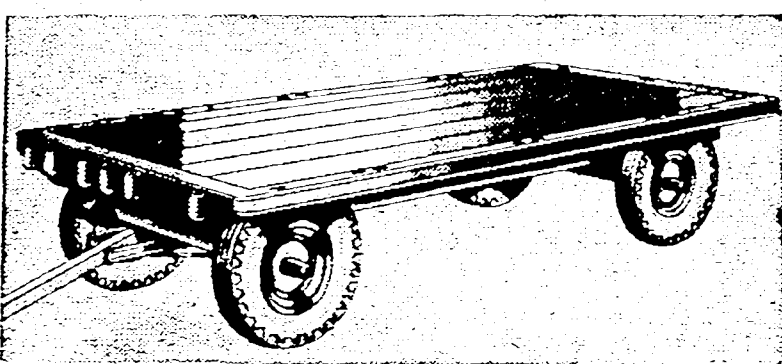
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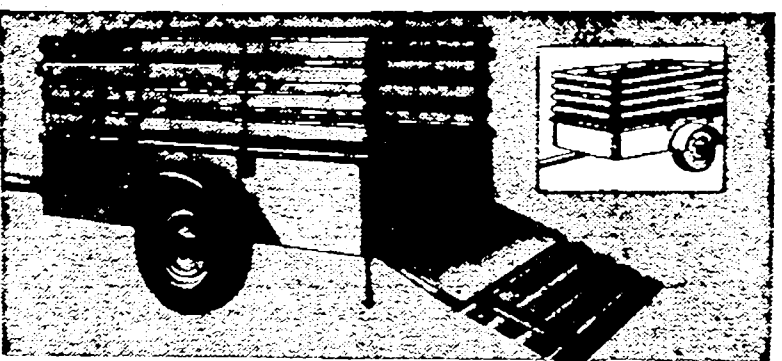
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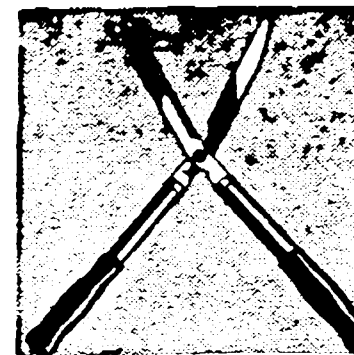


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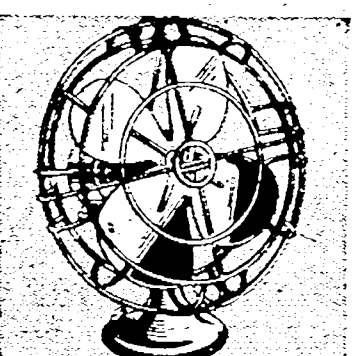
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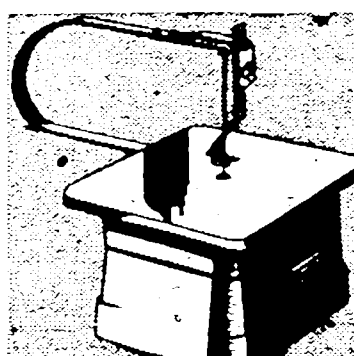
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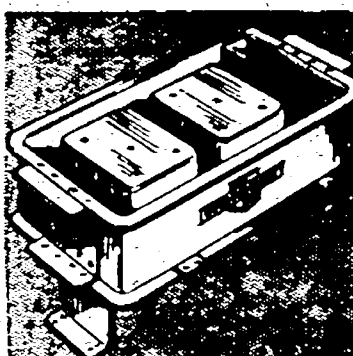
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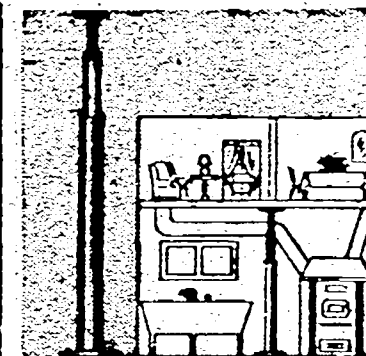
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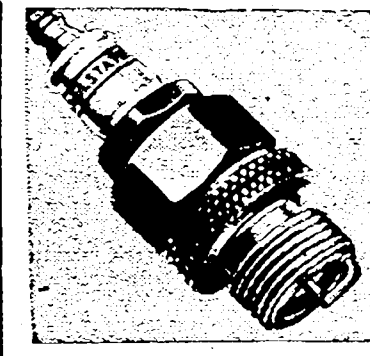
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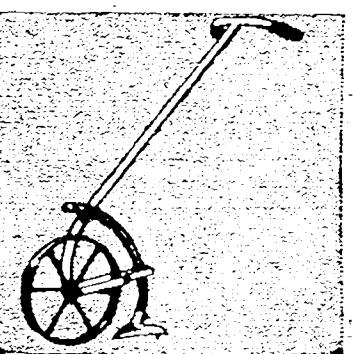
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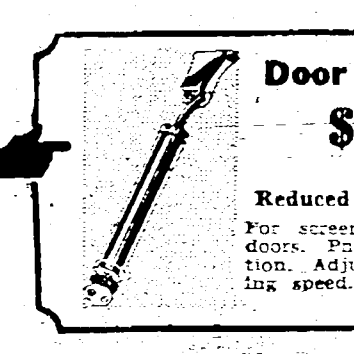
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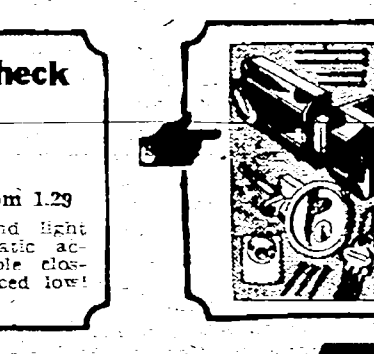
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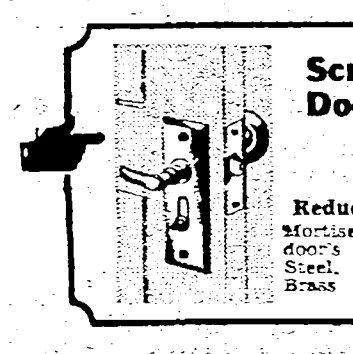
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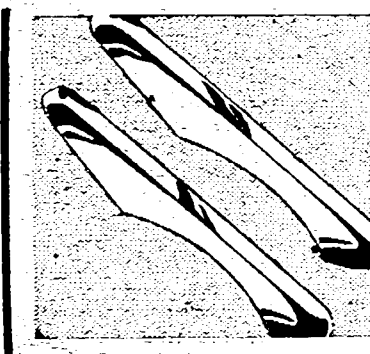
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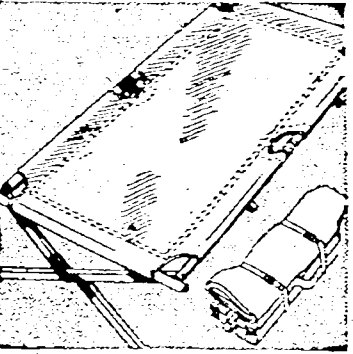
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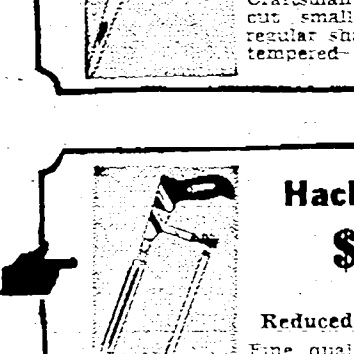
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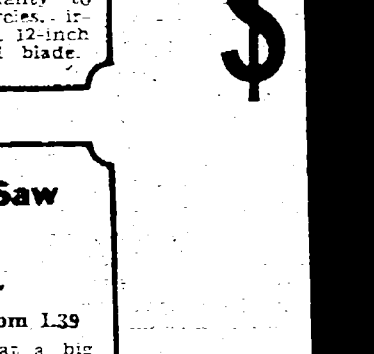
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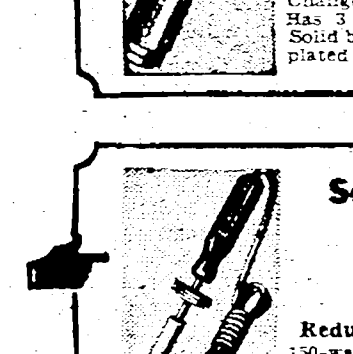
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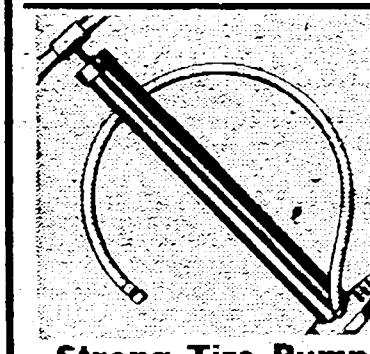
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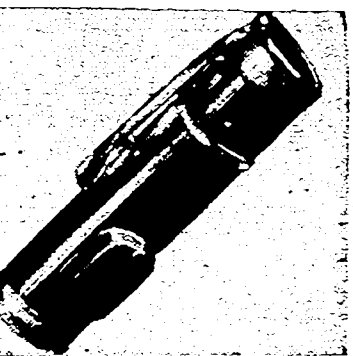
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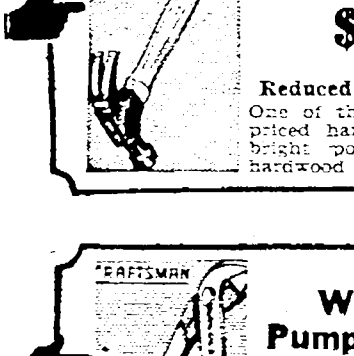
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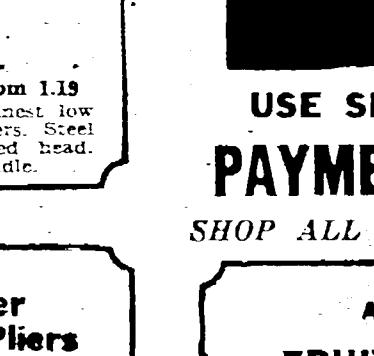
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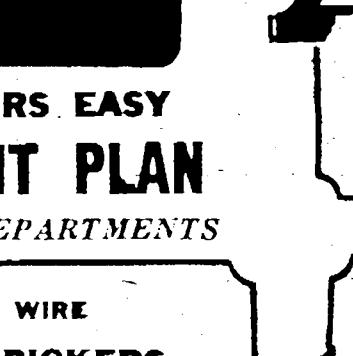
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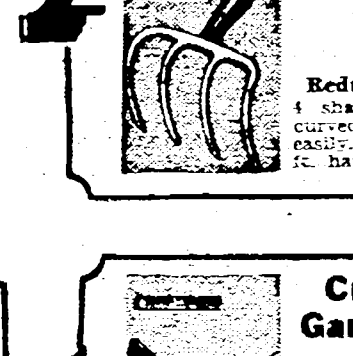
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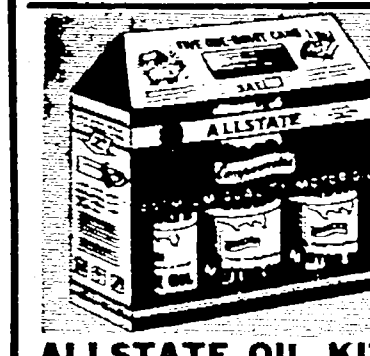
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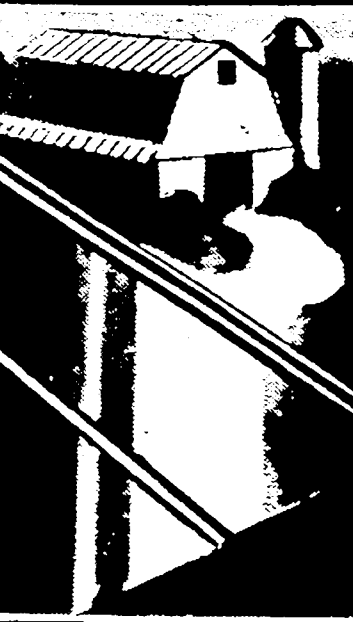
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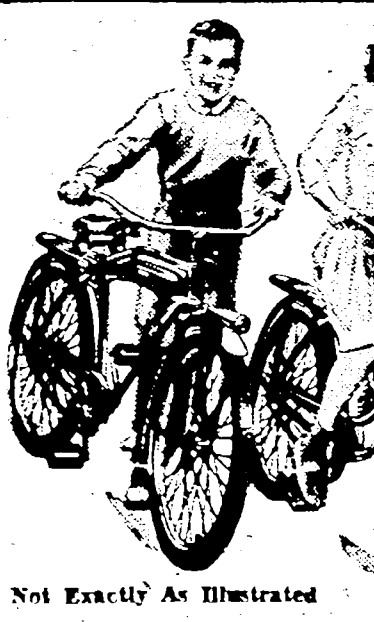
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## TRUMAN VETOES PROPOSAL FOR SCIENCE STUDY

Social Security Tax  
Frozen for Two Years;  
Ten Bills Are Signed

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (P)—President Truman today vetoed legislation for a national science foundation, along with seven other bills, and took Congress to task for what he termed a proposed infringement on the powers of the President.

Mr. Truman also chided Congress for passing a measure which, he said, "restricts and narrows coverage of our Social Security law, while our objective should be to enlarge that coverage."

That bill, which he vetoed would have relieved certain vendors of newspapers and magazines and their employers from paying Social Security taxes.

Working at high speed, Mr. Truman cleared away 18 of 30 bills still ranging fire from the last session of Congress.

Among the 10 signed was a measure freezing the Social Security payroll tax for another two years at one percent on employees' pay and employers' payrolls. Otherwise the tax would automatically have jumped to 2.5 percent against both employee and employer next Jan. 1.

The eight bills killed met "pocket vetoes" — the President will leave them unsigned and thus with Congress in recess they will die. Most of them were of minor significance. Mr. Truman issued statements explaining the reasons for his disapproval.

He expressed "deep regret" at killing the science foundation measure. It would have created a 24-member committee of scientists, appointed by the President, to control the expenditure of millions of dollars annually for research into defense and health problems. No money was actually appropriated under it.

The scientists themselves would have appointed a chief executive officer to direct actual operations of the foundation. They would also have been authorized to set up an unlimited number of divisions for the various branches of science and research, as well as appoint numerous commissions.

Declaring that the bill contains provisions representing "a marked departure from sound principles for the administration of public affairs," Mr. Truman made these salient objections:

1. "Aside from the conflicts and confusions which would result from this complex organization, the bill would violate basic principles which make for responsible government."

2. It "represents a substantial denial of the President's appointing power as well as an impairment of his ability to see that the laws are faithfully executed."

3. "There would be no means for insuring responsible administration of the law."

4. If the principles of this bill were extended throughout the government, the result would be utter chaos."

Mr. Truman noted that the members of the executive committee would be part-time officials holding "full governmental authority and responsibility," but that "the President could not effectively hold (them) responsible for proper administration."

## Isolated Indonesians Told of Truce Offer

BATAVIA, Java, Aug. 6 (P)—An American consular official in two personal broadcasts succeeded tonight in informing the isolated Indonesian republican government at Jogjakarta of a United States offer to mediate the conflict in the East Indies.

This unusual procedure was decided upon by U.S. Consul General Walter A. Poole after A. K. Gani, Indonesian deputy premier, was unable to contact Jogjakarta with the message.

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## Reds Demanded Money Plates

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (P)—Long-secret Government files, opened tonight, disclosed that American plates from which Russia printed German invasion money were delivered to the Soviet only after a Russian threat to upset plans for a joint Allied currency and print a separate Russian issue.

The documents were made public by the Senate appropriations committee, which has been investigating reports that this country has lost huge sums in redemption of the Russian-printed currency.

## Actress to Wed Second Time



Actress Ann Dvorak, who gave her age as 33, yesterday obtained a license to wed Igor de Navrotsky, 34, an actor whom she met in Paris a year ago. She recently obtained a final decree from director Leslie Fenton, whom she married in 1932. It will be the third marriage for Navrotsky.

## 'Old-Time' Airmen Set Sights On Global Trip Just for 'Fun'

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Aug. 6 (P)—Six "old men of aviation," who wrote flying history more than 20 years ago, said today they planned to buy a "four-motored plane of some kind and make a greybeards flight around the world."

The sextet—Clyde Pangborn, Erroll Boyd, Harry P. Connor, M. K. Lee, Cloyd P. Clevenger and Ralph Adams—said they are "not planning any kind of race or stunt. We just want to get in a plane, take off and see all the world."

No time for the takeoff has been set, but the tentative time of departure, either from New York or Miami, is in the late winter or early spring.

Clevenger now 50, has held pilot's license No. 141 since 1918 and has logged more than 12,700 flying hours. He called the proposed world flight an "old man's tour."

"We're all pretty old timers in the flying business," Boyd added, "and it's time we had some fun together. We'll probably take some friends along—five or six—and just mosey along."

M. K. Lee 63 years old and still flying regularly, said that Boyd, he and Clevenger had been looking over a former Army B17 as the possible round-the-world aircraft they would use.

Lee, who made the first non-stop flight from Miami to New York in 1928—time: 11 hours 50 minutes—said they were still in need of a radio operator.

Pangborn, whose first flight around the world—and the first non-stop flight across the Pacific in 1931 is aviation history—telephoned from New York to assure the group

here that he would make the flight. Boyd, who flew the first Montreal-to-London non-stop flight in 1930, and later that same year flew non-stop from New York to Bermuda, has been named spokesman for the group.

He said that Connors, one of the world's foremost aerial navigators who was Howard Hughes' navigator on his recent record-breaking round the world flight, would handle the "direction finding" for the flight. "I know he's pretty good," Boyd said. "He was my navigator on the Montreal-London flight."

## 45 Persons Killed In Communal Fighting

NEW DELHI Thursday, Aug. 7 — A least 45 persons were reported killed and hundreds injured in Hindu-Muslim fighting in the Punjab. Sixteen villages were raided in 24 hours in the Amritsar district and police said the raids amounted to attacks and counter-attacks by Moslem and Hindu bands.

20 YOUTHS ARRESTED  
JERUSALEM Aug. 6 (P)—Unofficial sources said tonight 20 Jewish youths had been arrested in Jerusalem as police continued a roundup of Jews in a drive against terrorism.

MAN TRAPPED BY BLOOD  
ERIE, Aug. 6 (P)—City police today charged Nick Manzari with burglary after they followed a trail of blood from a downtown jewelry store to Manzari's home.

## GREEK DELEGATE BIDS FOR PEACE IN BALKAN AREA

Ambassador Charges  
Reds, Satellites Seek  
Full Power in Greece

By MAX HARKELSON

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 6 (P)—Greek Ambassador Vassili Dendramis declared tonight that Russia and her Balkan satellites would completely absorb Greece unless action is taken to check the present Balkan situation.

In a slashing attack on Russia, Dendramis told the United Nations Security Council that Russia's veto of the United States plan for a "watchdog" commission in the Balkans had definitely indicated Moscow's aim.

"The object," he said, "is to muzzle and to strait-jacket the means of defending the peace."

"The object is to give the appearance of a solution and to lull the world into a false sense of security until it is too late—until the newspapers have reported that it is all over and that one more country has been reduced to vassalage."

Dendramis spoke as the council sought in vain to agree on some action to halt the Balkan disorders which most of the delegates agreed were a serious menace to the peace.

He took the floor after Australia proposed that the council apply the Indonesian formula "to the complicated problem and Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko declared the proposal was "not acceptable."

Australia demanded that the council call on the four quarreling Balkan countries "to cease all acts of provocation" immediately and enter into direct negotiations.

Australian Delegate Col. W. R. Hodgson told the council this formula had worked in the Indonesian case, and declared that the Balkan situation is so serious the council must not delay any longer.

"It is imperative that this council act now," he said.

Hodgson offered his proposal in the midst of a pessimistic debate which already had brought these developments:

1. Creation of a seven-nation sub-committee to make a final effort to find a compromise solution by next Monday.

2. Rejection of a Polish proposal which in effect would have called upon the Balkan countries to settle their differences themselves.

3. A clash between the United States and Russia over whether the subsidiary group of the Balkan investigating commission has a right to continue functioning.

The delegates were agreed that the Colombian plan for a sub-committee had only a slim chance for success, but they approved it by a vote of 10 to 0 as an attempt to resolve the deadlock.

## MOTORISTS WARNED

INDIANTOWN GAP, Aug. 6 (P)—Motorists traveling in this area were warned today not to stray from main roads as firing ranges were readied for the Pennsylvania National Guard's 15-day encampment which opens Saturday.

Gives in to Heat



With the temperature at 103 degrees, Gov. Kuni Sigler yesterday abbreviated a scheduled governor's day address at the Ionia, Mich., fair. While 6000 persons swarmed beneath a blazing sun, Sigler admitted "It's too hot to give a speech and it's too hot to listen to one."

## West Coast Forest Fire Takes Lives of Two Men

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 6 (P)—With two men dead, more than 50 injured and 2200 acres of valuable watershed denuded, a fire which started in upper Tujunga canyon raged out of control tonight.

Helicopters pressed into service to drop water to exhausted fire fighters in inaccessible regions were credited with saving the life of one man today. Richard Dietzel, a volunteer fighter carrying a radio walkie-talkie set, found himself trapped by the flames in a branch of Lukens canyon.

He reported his plight via the radio and a few minutes later one of the "windmills" sat down in the canyon, and flew him to safety.

Eight hundred and fifty men were fighting the blaze, all in the Angeles national forest.

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## President Plans Air Trip to Rio To Attend Defense Conference

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (P)—President Truman in his role of good will ambassador will fly to Rio de Janeiro for closing sessions of a defense conference of all 21 American republics.

The mighty battleship Missouri will be on hand to bring him home after a three-day visit to the Brazilian capital.

This third trip of the President to neighboring countries to bind stronger hemispheric ties will be made late this month or early September.

The White House disclosed the plans today in a brief announcement. Although it made no mention of the inter-American security meeting, the timing indicates that Mr. Truman will be there for the closing days. It opens Aug. 15.

The conference is called to negotiate a treaty for mutual defense; to throw military resources or the Americas back of an invader or threatener.

Enthusiastic receptions for the President in Mexico City the past March and in Ottawa in June led to plans to make the visit to Rio de Janeiro at a time when he may visit with foreign ministers drawn there from the other neighboring countries for the meeting.

The President will be the guest

of President Gaspar Dutra who long has urged him to pay a call.

The Missouri sailed from Norfolk, Va., today for Rio and its rendezvous with the President. The destroyers Drexel and Ernest G. Small were in escort.

It was not stated whether Mrs. Truman will accompany the President, as had been reported, or whether he plans any stops on the way back.

FEDERAL JURY RECALLED  
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 6 (P)—The June Federal grand jury was recalled today to determine if there has been any violation of U. S. laws in the use of delivery of foodstuffs from the Dock Street area.

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## Labor Union Pessimistic On Future Employment

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (P)—The American Federation of Labor said today that "more than a million jobs will probably be lost" unless consumers can absorb an expected rise in production.

The organization said a gradual lowering of prices would increase buying power but the prospect is "not encouraging." It noted that "food prices are increasing" and "rents are due to rise somewhat."

Therefore the AFL, in its publication "Labor Monthly Survey," took a moderately pessimistic view of the chances of continuing "full employment" much longer.

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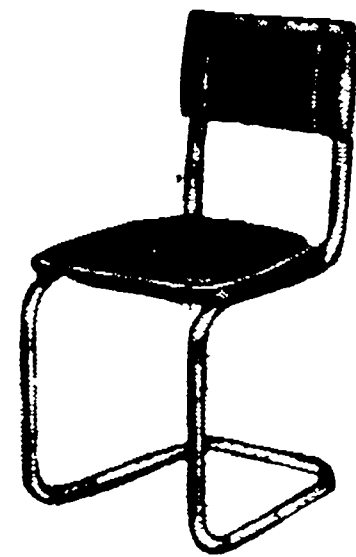
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## Rodent Awarded Highest Honors in Pet Competition

Thirty-nine boys and girls of Boyertown and vicinity entered more than 50 pets in the pet show yesterday on Washington elementary school playground.

They ranged all the way from Poppies in pint jars to rabbits that weighed 16 pounds. A golden hamster—known as a ratlike burrowing rodent—was awarded a prize in the most unusual classification. It was exhibited by Harvey Reinhard.

Although not all pets won prizes, judges agreed that all were well-groomed and neat. Other winners in addition to the golden-hamster were: oldest—“Tina,” a ten-year old dog owned by Henry Stettler Jr.; largest—(two awards made) a rabbit weighing 15 pounds exhibited by Randall Romig; and “Spot,” a dog exhibited by Harold Bernhart; largest ears—“Gunny,” a brown cocker spaniel owned by Betty Keppert.

A tie was declared by the judges between two entries in the smallest pet classification, when Larry Albright and Phyllis Brooke entered guinea pigs in pint jars. Although judges were armed with yardsticks and actually measured dogs' tails and pets' feet, they found it impossible to measure guinea pigs.

Dual prizes were also awarded in the prettiest pet classification, winners being Charles Reinhart, who exhibited “Curly,” a tiny Pekinese, and Virginia Bernhart, who exhibited “Whiskers” and “Tiger,” two kittens.

Other winners were as follows: longest tail—“Knight,” a collie owned by Margaret Reinert, with a tail of 16 inches; biggest feet—“Plop-ears,” a rabbit owned by Shirley Reinert with feet measuring five and one-half inches in length; most colorful—lovebirds named “Joe” and “Sweetie,” and exhibited by Constance Edginger.

A crowd of 200 persons watched the show progress under the trees on the lawn, and spectators were asked to break a tie vote by judges when the race for the prettiest dog narrowed itself down to two dogs. They chose “Curly,” the Pekinese.

Other exhibitors were Mary Ellen Leibensperger, house cat and white rabbit; Sandra Briel, toy cocker spaniel; Betty Lou Briel, small turtle; Bobby Schaeffer, house cat, James Hartline, Hungarian pigeon, Dennis Schaeffer, crab; Larry Miller, lovebirds; Lawrence Mensch, small turtle; Carl Harner, three goldfish; Margaret Eisenhart, Eskimo Pomeranian dog; Edward Wasson, dog; Robert Landis, black and white cocker spaniel and Mary Stahl, dog.

Also Paul Frey, dachshund; Nancy Trout, dog; June Dierolf, baby chicks; Fay Stahl, goldfish; Marlene Graham, white rabbit; Arlene Kerver, hunting dog; Jim Hillbush, Spitz dog; Richard Hallman, fox terrier; Jane Stahler, rat terrier; Marlene Dotterer, bull dog; Patsy Emes, small black and white rabbit; Doris Spohn, cocker spaniel; Carol Ann Schanely, white rabbit; Renny Black, guinea pig, and Ronald Strunk, two turtles.

Judges were Mrs. Lawrence E. Grim, Marilyn Albright, Jacqueline Kline, and Harry I. Gilbert. Warren Fry, playground supervisor, was in charge, assisted by Glenn Schultz and Jean Schultz, playground workers at the Washington field.

## MEETINGS

Lions club tonight at 6.30 o'clock in Boyer Towne Inn.

Regular monthly meeting of Friendship Hook and Ladder company tonight at 8 o'clock in the fire house.

Woman's Guild of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed, tonight at 8 o'clock in the church.

Ladies auxiliary of Gilbertville Fire company tonight at 7.15 o'clock in the firehouse. A doggie roast will be held at Hickory Park, following the business session. Transportation will be furnished.

## Boyertown Family To Return From Camp

Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Hanger Jr. and children, Todd and Bruce, will arrive in Boyertown next week after spending the Summer at New York State Camp, Otter Lake, N. Y. where Hanger has served as instructor and physical director.

Two local young women, Wanda Gresh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus D. Gresh, 26 College street, and Janet Bechtel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bechtel, Bally, have been registered as students at the camp. Closing activities include a concert in Old Forge, N. Y., tonight and a similar concert at the camp tomorrow night, followed by the annual prom.

The Hangers will leave camp Sunday, and will spend several days at Waterville and Richfield Springs, N. Y., before coming to Boyertown next week.

## Boyertown Classified

### Deaths

GILBERT—In Bally on Sunday, Aug. 3, John R. Gilbert, aged 72. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elam Bechtel, Bally, on Thursday at 8.30 a. m. Continued services in Church of the Most Blessed Sacrament, in adjoining cemetery. Friends may call at the Benfield home Wednesday evening, 7 to 9 (Moses).

LEVENGOOD—In Boyertown on Sunday, Aug. 3, 1947, James G. husband of Katie (Lichter) Levengood, aged 74 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the residence 536 E. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, Pa., on Thursday at 2 p. m. in the funeral home. Friends may call on Wednesday evening, 7 to 9 (Schwenk).

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## 200 Hear Concert By Mary Reichert

Mary Reichert made her triumphant return to Boyertown last night as she played a piano recital, unprecedented in purpose, before an appreciative audience of more than 200 in the high school auditorium.

The program was her way of saying thanks to persons in Boyertown and vicinity who have taken an interest in her ability as a pianist and whose encouragement spurred her on to Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, from which she was graduated last month.

Miss Reichert played a difficult program with great skill and deep feeling for the music. Her numbers were greeted with warm applause. At the conclusion of the program she was presented with a bouquet.

For the concert, she chose a gown of white crepe, fashioned along classic lines. She wore a white gardenia in her hair. She wore her hair long for the recital last night.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reichert, New Berlinville, she played the following program: Chaconne in D Minor (Bach-Busoni); Sonata, op. 81a, Les Adieux, L'Au-sence, and Le Retour (Beethoven); Intermezzo, op. 117, No. 2 (Brahms); Prelude, op. 28, No. 21 (Chopin); Prelude, op. 28, No. 24 (Chopin); Prelude in A Minor (Debussy); Danse negre (Scott); and Toccata (Kachaturian).

Miss Reichert will return to Cincinnati conservatory when the Fall session opens as a member of the faculty.

## Section Crew Clears Weeds Along Railroad

A section crew traveling on small “handcars” now driven by gasoline to the delight of kids in the neighborhood — has been cutting weeds along the Reading Company right-of-way in Boyertown from Fourth street bridge to the Second street bridge the past two days.

Mopplers are already expressing the hope that the company will next bring over to Boyertown its weed-burning car, better known as the flamethrower on wheels, to finish up the job.

## ESTATE ACTION

An estate valued at \$1000 in personal property was left to his widow, Josephine Mailes Underwood, by Stuart E. Underwood of Douglass township. Mrs. Underwood is the sole heir and executrix.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCED

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Anderson, 138B Lawrence street, Anchorage, Middletown, R. I. Mrs. Anderson is the former Arlene Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris B. Johnson, New Berlinville.

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## Corn Roast Planned By Service Mothers

Boyertown Service Mothers, Wives, and Sisters will hold a corn roast at Nick Tezzi's farm along the Boyertown-Reading pike on Sunday, Sept. 7, it was decided at a recent meeting.

Fifteen members were present. Mrs. Walter W. Miller, president, was in charge. Next meeting of the group will be held at 8 o'clock in the American Legion home on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

## PERSONALS

Among the delegation which left Tuesday to attend the Orioles convention in Akron, Ohio, were Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Edinger, 18 North Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graber and son, Bobbie, 415 East Fourth street, will leave today for a trip of several days duration to Ocean City, N. J.

A delegation of members of Charles B. Yerger post 471, American Legion, Boyertown, headed by Frank Del Grosso, post commander, is in Pittsburgh attending the State convention of the legion. The group will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Guldin and children, Richard and Dolores, 131 Schaeffer street, returned from a week's vacation in Canada. Guldin and his son went to the Canadian interior for bass and pickerel fishing.

## 40 to See Ball Game At Philadelphia Park

About 40 boys and girls who have participated in playground activities in Boyertown will leave next Wednesday at 12 o'clock noon from Washington school playground to see a National League baseball game at Philadelphia Warren O. Fry, playground supervisor, will be in charge.

## BABY BAPTIZED

Ronald Eugene Hartman, son of Harold A. and Pearl G. (Christman) Hartman, born on June 29, 1947, was baptized by the Rev. Harper L. Schneek, pastor of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed at the parsonage on Monday night.

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Miss Theda Hettrick spent the weekend at Atlantic City, N. J. Mrs. Alice MacIntire spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Kern, of Douglassville.

Mrs. Charles Albert entertained the Ladies Aid society of Linfield Evangelical and Reformed church Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Patricia Alongst was the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hechtman, Reading, the past week.

Warren and Samuel Fry spent the past Saturday in Boston, Mass. Miss Sandra Stepp was the weekend guest of Miss Mary Anne Rapp, of Searcy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Myers, Mrs. Mary Furl and Mr. Martin S. suffer, all of Harrisburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dato Sunday.

Mrs. Adella Creponas, of Chester, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Narela.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hettrick, entertained Mrs. Elsie Hettrick and son, William, of East Orange, N. J., for several days.

Miss Betty Anne Stepp returned home after having spent six weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Stepp, of Silver City, New Mex. Miss Stepp visited Mexico, the famous copper mines of the south-west, and returned the locked-up city.

Richard Albright spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hollaway, of Port Jervis, N. Y.

Mrs. Josephine Woson and daughter, Ella, of Searcy, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guder.

Miss Mary Therese Ziegmont, of

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Among marriage licenses applied for at the court house in Reading recently are those of John E. Landis, 38, and Luella B. Fry, 34, both of Boyertown, and Harold S. Bergman, 21, of Oley, and Dorothy R. DeFure, 18, of Douglassville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schurr entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fox and daughter, Kathleen, and son, Harry Jr., of Westfield, N. J., over the weekend.

Miss Evelyn Heage, of Germantown, and Mr. George Missimer, of Boxborough, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Male, of Carbondale, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaffer and family have moved to a farm outside of Trappe.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Rayson and son, Darrell, of Parkerford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ravor.

The Silver Moon Sunday School class, taught by Miss Bobbie Gauger, held a hay ride and party on Saturday evening. The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Buckwalter, Douglassville. Games and music were enjoyed. The evening closed with a doggie roast. Those present were: Misses Sylvia Daub, Edith Stepp, Ruth Strohm, Mary Jane Strohm, Nancy Mover, Martha Jean Hettrick, all of Linfield, Patsy Haller, of Phoenixville; Jean Buckwalter, Dorothy Buckwalter, Russell Buckwalter, all of Douglassville; William McFarland, Pottstown; Richard

Shantz, Parkerford; Robert Rup-pert, Pottstown; Alfred Shantz, Am-brose Malenke, Parkerford; James Hoffman, Douglassville; Boo Re-vellie, Pottstown; Robert Mutter-baugh, Douglassville; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaffer place.

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### Friendship Firemen To Buy Ambulance In Near Future

The Friendship Fire company community ambulance will be purchased any day now. Delivery is expected in approximately six months.

A committee which was appointed by the Hookies at the July meeting, to investigate the possibility of securing an ambulance for Twin Boroughs, was vested with power to go ahead at the July meeting Tuesday night.

Thus, within the space of one month, a dream has come true, although the actual procurement of the much-needed vehicle of mercy.

About two weeks after the committee was appointed, several types of cars. Two weeks ago a straight-eight, 165-horse-power ambulance was brought here for a demonstration, and the machine met with instant approval of the committee and the several hundred persons who saw it.

At the monthly meeting of the fire company, Tuesday night, following a lengthy discussion, the committee was authorized to negotiate the purchase of an ambulance.

Granville Rambo, the committee chairman, seemed inclined to like the machine which was demonstrated here two weeks ago, but the committee went to see still another one last night, making 24 types in all that have been inspected. So, it is in the hands of the committee to weigh ambulance to purchase. The cost of the one which was demonstrated here was quoted at \$5625.

Replying to a query as to how the cost and maintenance of the ambulance and the driver could be met, Rambo indicated public response normally has been so great that sufficient donations are expected to make up any deficit. As far as a driver is concerned, it was pointed out that this will be on a strictly volunteer basis. With several men only too willing to drive the machine.

### Pennhurst Instructor Injured in Accident

Mrs. Estella H. King, whose address was listed as Spring City in report of an accident near Medford, Ore., is a teacher employed at Pennhurst State school.

Mrs. King, a widow, has been a faculty member at Pennhurst since 1942 following the death of her husband, who was president of Indiana State Teachers college, Pennsylvania.

Mrs. King suffered a broken shoulder and fracture of both legs in the accident which happened Monday on Cascade Gorge road, where the machine overturned. Her sister, Mrs. Oliver Hoffman, 64, Beaver Falls, was killed. Mrs. Hoffman's husband, William P., a retired druggist, also was killed and Phillip H. Hoffman, 13, Ashtabula, Ohio, suffered a possible skull fracture.

#### Twin Boro Classified

**We Can Do It** 12  
Electrical appliance service and repairs, wiring, etc. for all machines. All kinds of electrical work done. J. T. McKissic & Son, 346 Main street, Royersford, Phone 35.

**Articles for Sale** 46  
Rockwood Va. Maple dinette, bassinet and solid oak desk. Phone 1029-J after 5 p. m.

**Books for sale**, property of the late Rev. Samuel R. Dunt. Apply 301 Church street, Royersford.

**Wanted to Buy** 31  
Furniture, Carpets and Stoves bought and sold and exchanged. J. Siegel Bros. Phone Phoenix 3553, 126 Bridge St.

**Seeds, Plants, Flowers** 58  
Large assortment of gladioli in bloom, Jett's Gladioli Phone Royersford 719-M-2, delinquent.

**Legal Notices** 91  
ESTATE OF IRVIN LONG, otherwise IRVIN H. LONG, late of Royersford, deceased. Letters testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, who request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment, without delay to, Russell L. Long, 11 Francis Ave., Ambler, Pa. or his attorney, Walter Peaslee, Talone & Geber, 515 Swede St., Norristown, Pa.

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### Adopted By GI



Adopted three years ago by Sgt. Samuel Christy, who had to pay an adoption fee to Yunan, China, courts, Lee Ying Fa, 3, Chinese orphan finally reaches the U.S. and proceeds his father as their plane lands at the Sun, Calif., airfield. The two were separated just before the Japs gave up and, when Christy re-enlisted, he began a search for his adopted son, found in Shanghai by the Red Cross.

### Actress Sally Haines Weds Husband No. 7

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 6 (P)—Friends of actress Sally Haines and James B. Ransom Jr., an investment broker of nearby Manhattan Beach, said today, the couple married in Rosarito Beach, lower California, the past July 30. They said it was the actress' seventh marriage.

Miss Haines' former husbands include comedian Bert Wheeler and Bud Wolfe, film stunt man.

Friends said Miss Haines and Ransom plan to remarry in Santa Barbara after Ransom's interloquatory California divorce from the former Pearl White becomes final next January.

PLANES ILLEGALLY (P)—Defense Minister Juan Jose Vialloch said today that Mexican planes had landed illegally in Cuba and that they would be seized by the government and their occupants "subjected to the immigration laws."

The original "mermaid" was the extraordinarily ugly sea cow.



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### Berks County Pair Faces Numbers 'Bank' Charge

READING, Aug. 6 (P)—Louis Schoener, 55, of Pine Hill Park, Womelsdorf RD 1, and Arthur Womelsdorf, 46, Stouchburg barber, accused by police of running a numbers "bank," were today arrested by State Police Sgt. Michael Reilly and County Detective Joseph Cafoncelli on warrants charging them with the illegal setting up, operating and maintaining a lottery.

Schoener, who was said by Sergeant Reilly to be the "bank" operator, and Schell, the alleged pickup man, each posted \$1000 bail before Alderman Charles E. Lease, for a preliminary hearing. The warrants for the men's arrest were issued by Lease.

Detective Cafoncelli said number ships showing plays made today were found on both men. Schell was arrested in Womelsdorf and Schoener at his home nearby.

**SAVED BY COAST GUARD**  
ASTABULA, Ohio, Aug. 6 (P)—James Correll, 16, Youngstown, Ohio, today was rescued by Coast Guardsmen from a drifting cork raft, nine miles offshore in Lake Erie.

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Mrs. Daniel Madara, coor. Phone 2-4623, 2-4623, 2-4623, and very Mr. and Mrs. William Weiser entertained Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Angstadt, Quakertown; Bertha Miller, Phoenixville; Mrs. Mary Miller, Monocacy; Charles Brendlinger, Boyertown, and Mrs. Victoria Spohn, Eastville.

Leroy Brunner and granddaughters, Mildred and Jean Hartman, Boyertown; Mildred Lenhart, Guilbertsville, Mrs. Guy Smith Jr. and children, Mary, Kit and Guy 3d, of Greenville, N. C. called on Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Madara.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Longenecker and sons returned from a four-week visit to the West coast.

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### COLLEGE DEAN DIES

CARBONDALE, Ill., Aug. 6 (P)—Miss Harriet Elliott, 63, dean of women and professor of political science at the women's college of the University of North Carolina, died today.

**SEEKS DIVORCE**  
LOS ANGELES, Aug. 6 (P)—Helene Costello, silent screen star, filed suit for divorce from artist Lee LeBlanc. They already are involved in a custody suit over their daughter, Dieder, six.

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## 200 Hear Concert By Mary Reichert

Mary Reichert made her triumphal return to Boyertown last night as she played a piano recital, unprecedently in purpose, before an appreciative audience of more than 200 in the high school auditorium.

The program was her way of saying thanks to persons in Boyertown and vicinity who have taken an interest in her ability as a pianist and whose encouragement spurred her on to Cincinnati Conservatory of Music, from which she was graduated last month.

Miss Reichert played a difficult program with great skill and deep feeling for the music. Her numbers were greeted with warm applause. At the conclusion of the program she was presented with a bouquet.

For the concert, she chose a gown of white crepe, fashioned along classic lines. She wore a white gardenia in her hair. She wore her hair long for the recital last night.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reichert, New Berlinville, she played the following program: "Concerto in D Minor (Bach-Busoni), Sonata, op. 81a, Les Aieux, L'Assommoir and Le Retour (Beechoven); Intermezzo, op. 117, No. 2 (Brahms); Prelude, op. 28, No. 21 (Chopin); Prelude, op. 28, No. 24 (Chopin); Danse negre (Scott), and Toccata (Khachaturian).

Miss Reichert will return to Cincinnati conservatory when the fall session opens as a member of the faculty.

## Section Crew Clears Weeds Along Railroad

A section crew, traveling on small "handcars" now driven by gas line—to the delight of kids in the neighborhood — has been cutting weeds along the Reading Company right-of-way in Boyertown from Fourth street bridge to the Second street bridge the past two days.

Mopeds are already expressing the hope that the company will next bring over to Boyertown its weed-burning car, better known as the flamethrower on wheels, to finish up the job.

## ESTATE ACTION

An estate valued at \$1000 in personal property was left to his widow, Josephine Mates Underwood, by Stuart E. Underwood, of Douglass township. Mrs. Underwood is the sole heir and executrix.

## BIRTH ANNOUNCED

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Anderson, 138B Lawrence street, Anchorage, Middletown, R. I. Mrs. Anderson is the former Arlene Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris B. Johnson, New Berlinville.

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## Corn Roast Planned By Service Mothers

Boyertown Service Mothers, Wives and Sisters will hold a corn roast at Nick Lezzi's farm along the Boyertown-Reading pike on Sunday, Sept. 7, it was decided at a recent meeting.

Fifteen members were present. Mrs. Walter W. Miller, president, was in charge. Next meeting of the group will be held at 8 o'clock in the American Legion home on Tuesday, Sept. 2.

## PERSONALS

Among the delegation which left Tuesday to attend the Orioles convention in Akron, Ohio, were Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Eisinger, 18 North Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graber and son, Bobbie, 416 East Fourth street, will leave today for a trip of several days duration to Ocean City, N. J.

A delegation of members of Charles B. Yeager post 471, American Legion, Boyertown, headed by Frank Del Grosso, post commander, is in Pittsburgh attending the State convention of the legion. The group will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester C. Guldin and children, Richard and Dolores Elaine, 131 Schoeffer street, returned from a week's vacation in Canada. Guldin and his son went to the Canadian interior for bass and pickerel fishing.

## 40 to See Ball Game At Philadelphia Park

About 40 boys and girls who have participated in playground activities in Boyertown will leave next Wednesday at 12 o'clock noon from Washington school playground to see a National league baseball game in Philadelphia. Warren O. Fry, playground supervisor, will be in charge.

## BABY BAPTIZED

Ronald Eugene Hartman, son of Harold A. and Pearl G. (Christman) Hartman, born on June 29, 1947, was baptized by the Rev. Harper L. Schneck, pastor of Church of the Good Shepherd, Evangelical and Reformed at the parsonage on Monday night.

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## LINFIELD

Mrs. Evelyn Albright, corr. E. E. Wells, del. Phone Linfield 3151.

Miss Theda Hettrick spent the weekend at Atlantic City, N. J. Mrs. Alice MacIntyre spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Kern, of Douglassville.

Mrs. Charles Albert entertained the Ladies A.C. society of Linfield Evangelical and Reformed church Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Patricia Albright was the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hechtman, Reading, the past week.

Wesley and Samuel Fry spent the past Saturday in Boston, Mass. Mrs. Sandra Stepp was the weekend guest of Miss Mary Anne Rapp, of Sanatoga.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Myers, Mrs. Mari Furl and Mr. Marvin Stauffer, all of Harpersburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Datto Sunday.

Mrs. Adelle Capobianco, of Coeaster, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nurella.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hettrick entertained Mrs. Elsie Hettrick and son, William, of East Orange, N. J., for several days.

Miss Betty Anne Stepp returned home after a week's stay with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Stepp, of Silver City, New Mex. Miss Stepp visited Mexico, the famous copper mines of the southwest, and Tyrone, the "locked up" city.

Richard Albright spent a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holbrook, of Pottstown. Laraine Mrs. Joseph Wyos and daughter, Ella, of Suenango, are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Guider.

Miss Mary Theresa Zeigmont, of

Gilbertville, is spending several weeks at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Baranoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schurr entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fox and daughter, Kathleen, and son, Harry Jr., of Westfield, N. J., over the weekend.

Miss Evelyn Heage, of Germantown, and Mr. George Missimer, of Boxborough, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Male, of Carbonale, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaffer and family have moved to a farm outside of Trappe.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Ravator and son, Darrell, of Parkerford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ravator.

The Silver Moon Sunday School class, taught by Miss Bobbie Gauger, held a hay ride and party on Saturday evening. The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Buckwalter, Douglassville. Games and music were enjoyed. The evening closed with a doggie roast. Those present were: Misses Sylvia Daub, Edith Stepp, Ruth Strohm, Mary Jane Strohm, Nancy Moyer, Martina Jean Hettrick, all of Linfield; Patsy Haller, of Phoenixville; Jean Buckwalter, Dorothy Buckwalter, Russell Buckwalter, all of Douglassville; William McManis, Pottstown; Richard

Shantz, Parkerford; Robert Rupert, Pottstown; Alfred Shantz, Ambrose Malenke, Parkerford; James Hoffman, Douglassville; Bob Reville, Pottstown; Robert Mutterbaugh, Douglassville; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shaffer place.

Alfred Shantz, Parkerford; Miss Bobbie Gauger, Parkerford, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meyer moved from a farm near Trappe into the Kenneth Shaffer place.



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**Rodent Awarded Highest Honors in Pet Competition**  
Thirty-nine boys and girls of Boyertown and vicinity entered more than 50 pets in the pet show yesterday on Washington elementary school playground.  
They ranged all the way from puppies to pig jays to rabbits that weighed 17 pounds. A golden hamster—which is a ratlike burrowing rodent—was awarded a prize in the most unusual classification. It was exhibited by Harvey Reimauer.  
Although not all pets won prizes, judges agreed that all were well-groomed and neat. Other winners in addition to the golden hamster were: oldest "Tiny," a ten-year old dog owned by Henry Stettin Jr.; largest (two awards made) rabbit weighing 17 pounds exhibited by Randall Komar; and "Spot," a dog exhibited by Harold Bernhart; largest ears—"Gunny," a brown cocker spaniel owned by Betty Reppert.

A tie was declared by the judges between two entries in the smallest pet classification, when Larry Albright and Phyllis Brooke entered puppies in pig jays. Although judges were armed with yardsticks and actually measured dogs' tails and pets' feet, they found it impossible to measure puppies.  
Dual prizes were also awarded in the prettiest pet classification, winners being Charles Reimhart, who exhibited "Curly," a tiny Pekinese, and Virginia Bernhart, who exhibited "Whiskers" and "Tiger," twin kittens.

Other winners were as follows: longest tail—"Knight," a collie owned by Margaret Reimert, with a tail of 16 inches, biggest feet—"Plop-ears," a rabbit owned by Shirley Reimert, with feet measuring five and one-half inches in length; most colorful — lovebirds named "Joe" and "Sweetie," and exhibited by Constance Edginger.  
A crowd of 200 persons watched the show progress under the trees on the lawn, and spectators were asked to break a tie vote by judges when the race for the prettiest dog narrowed itself down to two dogs. They chose "Curly," the Pekinese.

Other exhibitors were Mary Ellen Leonsperger, house cat and white rabbit; Sandra Briel, toy cocker spaniel; Betty Lou Briel, small turtle; Bobby Schaeffer, house cat; James Hartline, Hungarian pigeon; Dennis Schaeffer, crab; Larry Miller, lovebirds; Lawrence Mensch, small turtle; Carl Harner, three goldfish; Margaret Eisenhart, Eskimo Pomeranian dog; Edward Wasson, dog; Robert Landis, black and white cocker spaniel and Mary Stahl, dog.

Also Paul Pres, daschund; Nancy Trout, dog; June Dietrich, baby chicks; Fay Stahl goldfish; Marlene Graham, white rabbit; Arlene Kerver, hunting dog; Jim Hillbush Spitz dog; Richard Hallman, fox terrier; Jane Stahler, rat terrier; Mariene Dotterer, bull dog; Patsy Bmes small black and white rabbit; Doris Spohn cocker spaniel; Carol Ann Schanel, white rabbit; Regny Black, guinea pig, and Ronald Strunk, two turtles.

Judges were Mrs. Lawrence E. Gumm, Marilyn Albright, Jacqueline Kline, and Harry I. Gilbert Warren Fry, playground supervisor, was in charge assisted by Glenna Schultz and Jean Schultz, playground workers at the Washington field.

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# AMVET NINE CLINCHES 1ST PLACE

## COFFEE CUP BOWS BY 7-2; GALEN ROYER IS WINNER

The Amvets locked the door to first place in the City Industrial league and threw away the key with a 7-2 victory over the Coffee Cup last night at the Franklin street bat and ball beanery.

Galen Royer, slender Amvet portender, turned in his second straight victory over the Coffee Cup last night at the Franklin street bat and ball beanery.

Some heavy sockwork by Jack Kurtz, Walt Sowers and Paul Hero paved the way for the victory and several comebacks by Royer after he had been almost kayoed added up to win number 12 and a clear title to first place in the league — a title which will have to be defended in the coming playoffs.

Royer allowed only five base knocks but the Coffee Cup clouters bunched them to give him a wild ride in the final inning until he found his stride to pull through a tight squeeze.

The Amvets went to work on starter Midge Takacs in the initial stanza and with the help of a miscue took a 2-0 lead. Mickey Missimer reached first to open the game when John Dori couldn't find the handle on his grounder to second.

Walt Sowers, attempting to sacrifice but into a strong wind, drilled one to deep left field that went all the way for a four master and a flyin' start.

The 800 fans who wended their way to witness the struggle, saw

## Big Season Ahead?



So sparkling has been the performance of Elroy (Crav Legs) Hirsch in training camp intrasquad games, a big season is being forecast for Chicago Rockers star back.

## Glasgow Ramblers Register Decision Over Spicer Nine; Pace's Defeat El Chico Foe

The Glasgow Ramblers pushed across a run in the seventh inning last night to turn back Spicer's Cafe, 5-4 in a YMCA Industrial Softball league tilt on Boden Field.

The victory moved the Ramblers into a tie for second with the West Pottsgrove Rod and Gun club in the National division while the defeat had no effect on the standings of the Cafemen in the American circuit.

Frank Levegood bested Paul Foley in a pitcher's duel. Levegood was fouled for eight safeties while the winners bashed out nine safe blows off Foley over the seventh inning rout.

Glasgow took a 2-0 lead in the first but Spicer's grabbed a 3-2 advantage in the second. The winners knotted the count in the third and moved ahead in the fourth. Spicer's tallied once in the sixth to tie it up again and set the stage for the winning rally.

In another league struggle at The Hill school, Pace's Snack Bar continued its late season drive, defeating El Chico, 6-2, overcoming a 2-0 first inning deficit.

Krouse outlasted Barna on the mound as he limited the El Chico combination to three hits while his mates were getting eight off the offerings of the El Chico twirler.

Glasgow Spicer's  
Pace's  
El Chico

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Welsh, c	3 0 0 2	McClure, cf	3 0 0 3
Paoncel, lf	3 0 0 1	Krouse, p	3 1 1 0
Barna, p	3 1 1 1	Peterman, lf	3 3 5
Fenko, 3b	3 0 2 0	Bowman, rf	3 0 1 2
Kupis, ss	3 0 0 0	Brown, lf	1 1 1 3
Giesmer, 2b	3 0 0 3	Biehl, 2b	3 0 0 1
Sassman, 1b	3 0 0 0	Bernhart, 3b	3 0 0 0
Panoc, cf	2 0 0 2	Poyt, c	3 0 2 5
		Nettel, lf	0 0 0 0
		Keen, cf	1 0 0 0
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Time of game — Spicer's, Paoncel, Barna, Fenko, Kupis, Giesmer, Sassman, Panoc, Nettel, Keen.

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Score by innings — Spicer's, Paoncel, Barna, Fenko, Kupis, Giesmer, Sassman, Panoc, Nettel, Keen.

Box score — Spicer's, Paoncel, Barna, Fenko, Kupis, Giesmer, Sassman, Panoc, Nettel, Keen.

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Referee — Spicer's, Paoncel, Barna, Fenko, Kupis, Giesmer, Sassman, Panoc, Nettel, Keen.

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## PHILLIES DEFEAT CARDS, 8-4, IN SCHOOL LEAGUE

Winners Record Even; Redbirds Drop Third Game of the Season

The Phillies evened up their Baseball school record at two and two yesterday with an 8-4 victory over the Cardinals on Franklin Field.

The Phillies, with a 5-2 lead at the end of the first two frames, coasted in to the win behind Steve Chaplin who bested Dave Ricketts on the hill for the losers. The Phillies collected 10 hits while Chaplin spaced four safeties over the seven inning rout.

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## Seeders Holds on to Lead In Bi-State Batting Race

Jerry Seeders, Pottstown Cardinals' shortstop, continued to lead the Bi-State Softball league in hitting, the latest report indicates.

Seeders has been socking the official potato at a .548 clip which is .108 points better than his nearest competitor and he remains out in front in the number of stolen bases and total two base hits for the season.

The first year man has stolen 15 sacks, nine more than Lyle Stengale, Hoover's. Seeders also has nine doubles, just one more than "Foot" Stalsitz, Shaak-welders.

In 15 games, Seeders has clapped out 34 hits in 62 official trips to the cusp, tops in the total hits department.

Meanwhile, the Cardinals, who have been picking up speed after a slow start, have moved up to the number two spot in team hitting with a .270 mark. Carpenter Steel, Reading, leads the circuit with a .281 average. The Cards have belted out 153 safeties in 566 trips to the plate.

The Cardinals are resting in fourth place with a 16 and 10 record and one game to play and a victory there would almost assure them of a berth in the playoffs of the league. The Cards meet Coatesville Monday night.

The Cards will play at Roversford tonight in an exhibition game against the Roversford All-Stars while the Cardinals travel to Lancaster for a game with the Mapleleaves at Maple Grove park at 7 o'clock.

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## HAMBLETONIAN FEATURE WON BY HOOT MON

GOSHEN, N. Y., Aug. 6 (AP)—Amid shattered records a crowd of 10,000 spectators gathered to witness the Hambletonian feature race today.

The black son of Scotland came roaring home in the second and third heats after being beaten by

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## Bethany Mine Records 26-7 League Victory

The Bethany Midgets turned 26-7 victory over the Stowe in a Midget Softball league last night at The Hill school. winners scored in every inning the sixth and pushed across markers in the fifth inning for biggest display of power. Six were scored in the seventh with each in the first and second in-

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## Scavengers Dig Up Odd Items in Playground Hunt

Lincoln playground members scoured North End homes yesterday afternoon during their scavenger hunt in an effort to locate 14 choice items.

Twenty-two youngsters, eight to 14 years, divided into two teams had a hilarious time diving into cellars and attics for old relics. Facing a time limit of an hour and 15 minutes, the teams made a desperate race to locate the most difficult item, a 1941 class ring from Pottstown High school, which was accidentally found on a neighbor washing a car in front of her house.

The winning team, captained by Lloyd Hughes, included Joyce Samsel, Jean Turner, Barbara Yocum, Shirley Samsel, Robert Diener, Claudette Jacobs, George Jacobs, Wayne Hughes, Freddie Minter, Jimmy Hippie and Harry Lech.

Opposing them and captained by Sherwood Yerger, were Skippy Hunter, Arlene Samsel, Shirley Impink, Herbert Myers, Martha Yohn, Ruth Meyer, Billy Yohn, Dolores Samsel, Bobby Corbett, Ronald Baldasano and Edmund Sobresky.

Restricted to the area between Fourth street and Race street, bounded by State street and Charlotte street, the youngsters searched for a four-leaf clover, an old-fashioned shaving mug, a 1941 PHS class ring, a copy of Alcott's "Little Women," a Big Ben alarm clock, a Marine overseas hat, a red toy telephone, a bone hairpin, a spelling paper marked "perfect," a pair of ice skates (not on shoes), a postcard from Atlantic City, an Indian arrowhead, a foreign coin (not Canadian), and an American silver dollar.

## New Agency to Check Car Finance Deals

HARRISBURG, Aug. 6 (P)—Bulwarked by a recently-enacted law, a new Commonwealth agency swung into action today to curb what legislators termed "unscrupulous and unconscionable practices" in automobile financing.

Charles N. Fritz, chief of the new bureau in the State banking department, disclosed he was planning to send investigators into the field to carry out provisions of the act which limits auto financing rates to six percent annually on new cars, nine percent on cars two years old or less and 12 percent on other used cars.

"We're not going to permit fly-by-night finance companies to take advantage of the public," Fritz told a reporter. "They will be under close scrutiny."

The law becomes effective Aug. 27, except for licensing provisions which go into effect Oct. 1. Under the act, finance companies, including banks, will pay a \$100 annual license fee. Auto dealers, if they sell on installment plans, will be subject to a \$10 license fee.

Representatives Franklin H. Lichtenthaler (R-Lehigh) and Herbert P. Sorg (R-Eli), sponsors of the legislation, called for its passage after citing a report showing some auto finance firms had been charging from 20 to 120 percent interest.

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## Birthday Anniversary Honored



—Mercury Staff Photo  
IN honor of his 58th birthday today, Samuel H. Porter (left), prominent Pottstown businessman, was presented a floral tribute from well wishers following a meeting of the Security Trust company's board of directors yesterday. Irvin W. Riegnier, a member of the board, made the presentation.

## Samuel H. Porter Is Paid Informal Birthday Tribute

Samuel H. Porter, 547 High street, Pottstown business leader who celebrates his 58th birthday anniversary today, was honored informally yesterday afternoon following the meeting of the Security Trust company board of directors, of which he is a member.

A huge bouquet of flowers was presented from well wishers, and informal speeches were made citing Porter's success in business, his keen memory and interest in civic affairs. Bank employees and officers, including his brother, Dr. J. Elmer Porter, president, joined the impromptu celebration.

Born in South Coventry township, Chester county, Samuel Porter worked his way up through jobs in local mills and stores. After graduating from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, he conducted a drug store at High and Washington street for more than 40 years.

After several years as a director of the Pottstown Cold Storage company, he was named president in 1926.

**FIVE STEAL LIQUOR**  
POTTSTOWN, Aug. 6 (P)—Five men are under arrest in the theft of \$500 worth of whiskey from the Pottsville State liquor store, State Policeman P. C. Melley said today.

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## Berks Plant Picketed By CIO Steelworkers

READING, Aug. 6 (P)—The United Steelworkers of America (CIO) picketed the Textile Machine Works in suburban Wyomissing today.

Andrew Kondrath, subregional director of the union, described the demonstration as a protest against what he termed a lockout of night shift employees in the needle manufacturing department.

The union also is protesting, he said, dismissal of a union shop steward and failure of the company to meet union terms in contract negotiations providing for a general nine cents an hour wage increase and other concessions.

Company officials offered no comment.

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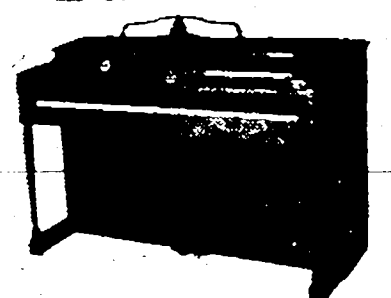


Notify Mrs. Leo Clemmer, Douglassville, RD 1, Route 83, Phone Birdsboro 2-3246 or State Police, West Reading Barracks.

## Hilldale Village Auto Recovered in Borough

An automobile owned by Albert P. Florine, of Road C, Hilldale Village, which was stolen late Monday night while parked at the village, was recovered yesterday. It was parked in the vicinity of Walnut and Warren streets.

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## Bikini King Inspects Bomb Blast Scene

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6 (P)—"King" Judah of Bikini returned to his native land today to see the changes brought by the two atomic bomb explosions there the past year.

The native king and three of his leading dignitaries were flown by the Navy from their new home 100 miles away on Rongerik atoll, where they had been removed with their families and the rest of the clan before the atomic bomb tests were held.

The Navy said scientists conducting a re-survey of Bikini think the natives will be able to tell them what island changes can be directly attributed to the effects of the explosions.

The Navy, in announcing the visit, said divers yesterday completed an examination of the sunken aircraft carrier Saratoga, now lying on the bottom of Bikini lagoon.

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## NEW HANOVER

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Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bierling, of Collingswood, N. J., who had been spending two months at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Harry E. Jones, and family returned home.

Members of the Hope Circle of the Falkner Swamp Reformed Sunday school met recently at the home of Mrs. Irvin Heintz Sr. The following attended: Mrs. Dorothy McGee, Miss A. Mildred Wagner, Mrs. Elsie Faust, Miss Geneva Leidy, Mrs. Florence Landis, Mrs. Dorothy Geisler, Mrs. Effie Hetrick, Mrs. Anna Burps, Mrs. Elma Hoffman, Mrs. Bertha Rosenberry, Miss Ruth

Buckwalter, Miss Marjorie Magners, Mrs. Elizabeth Zollers and the hostess, Mrs. Heintz.

The members of the Home Community club held a picnic at Montgomery County park.

Directors of the Swamp Independent school district held their regular meeting Monday evening in the office of William H. Wagner.

The Great Swamp picnic, which comprises the Lutheran and Reformed Sunday schools, will be revived again this year by having their picnic on Saturday, Aug. 23, in the Swamp Picnic Grove.

The Girl Scout troop of the Falkner Swamp Reformed Sunday school is camping at Montgomery County park.

## Boy Traffic Casualty Is Reported Improving

Injured Tuesday morning when he dashed into the street from between two parked cars, five-year-old Charles Shaffer, 58 South Adams street, was reported "improving" yesterday by his physician, Dr. George M. Longaker.

The boy was injured when he either ran into or was struck by a car driven by Robert L. Pocht, 710 Walnut street. He was taken to Pottstown hospital where it was found that he had suffered a fracture of the right clavicle in addition to lacerations and contusions of the hands, arms, head and legs.

We announce with regret the resignation today of Joseph L. Prince, Esq. as a director of our institution, Mr. Prince having well and ably served us since January 19, 1926.

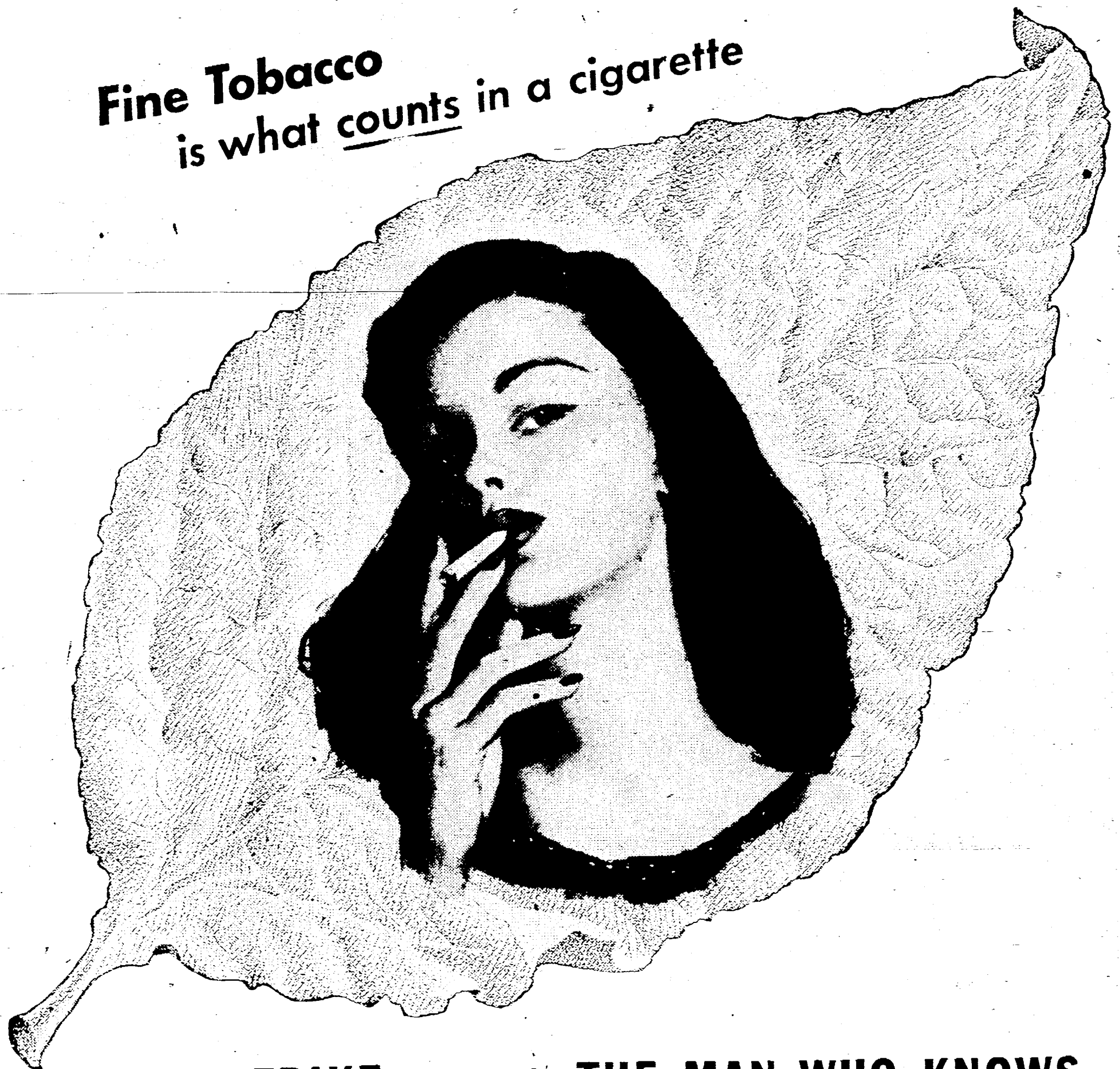
We congratulate Mr. Prince upon his election as a director and as the Vice-President of the Citizens National Bank and Trust Company of Pottstown and extend our heartiest good wishes to him.

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